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# FOR THE LEVEES.

DESPITE PREDICTIONS.

THE MISSOURI'S MAD PRANKS. SAID HE DIED FROM EPILEPSY. RALLYING THE POPULATION.

pected, but the Danger Is Still Great.

WASHINGTON, April 14.-The following changes in the river (in feet and tenths) tal, northeast corner of Garrison and Frank-have occurred:

Dubuque 2.7, Vicksburg 10.5, New Orleans Above danger line and falling: Helena, Ark., 11.1; Arkansas City 7.8, St. Paul 2.2,

0.3, Davenport 0.6, Des Moines 0.5, Keokuk 0.3, Vicksburg 0.2, New Orleans 0.2. Falling: Pittsburg 0.9, Davis Island Dam 0.9, Parkersburg 3.0, Nashville 8.7, Chattanooga 1.1, St. Paul 0.4, St. Louis 0.7, La

Stationary: Helena, Ark.: Arkansas City Ark.; Sloux City, Memphis, Shreveport. The following heavy precipitations (in inches) was reported: Helena, Ark., 1.92; Memphis, 1.12.

The river at St. Louis will continue fall, reaching about 26.8 feet by Friday. The Missouri will continue to fall for another day, but will commence to rise on Thursday as far east as Boonville.

The Upper Mississippi will rise slowly from Hannibal north and continue to fall to the south.

NEW ORLEANS, La., April 14.-"Louisiana has made a fine fight and deserves suc cess," said Chairman Morrison of the Interstate Commerce Commission, during a trip along the harbor. "If she escapes without a crevasse it will have a beneficial effect upon

sentiment was justified by the facts, for the struggle is probably unparalleled in day after the accident and only reached any section. The Bayou La Fourche line the Coroner's office Wednesday morning. was given up two weeks ago, but the planters are still holding it. The engineers de-clared that nothing short of a miracle could hold the Texas line, but work has never ceased an instant. Yesterday came word that Ravenwood on the Atchafalaya River was about to go. The planters at once or-ganized and declared that the flood should and franklin avenues, as a sick patient.

Texas & Pacific road runs alongside of the levee there, and General Management. levee there, and General Manager Thorne joined the defenders, A leader was elected, forces were thoroughly organzed, a sawmill in the vicinity was set to work and now 500 men are engaged in the ure of pr tection. This is but a sample of the work going on all along the river

the rising river, which is covering many of them There is no danger here, for barricades can easily be built and managed, able to pull him through. but it will result in the old levels being abandoned and new and higher wharves peing constructed within the next year een & Crescent has already given orders for a higher wharf, as platforms

levee at Davis, on the opposite side of the river, eighteen miles above the city, where the great crevasse of 1884 occurred. Armed ing miscreants escaped. Now twenty-five and tampering with the bank will mean

OMAHA, Neb., April 14.-Up till midnight ary, but after that it began to rise, and at Florence pumping station showed a rise of

The wind is blowing strong from the touth, and this has materially assisted in maintaining the repairs made to the levee along the south bank of Florence Lake. That still holds, but the second stream of water, which runs from the river west of Florence Lake, is still pouring into Cut-Off Lake.

The banks of the river second stream of the case as soon as Dr. Wait arrived at the Four Courts and made an investigation by questioning the hospital officials and arriving at the real facts in the case.

Dr. Morris was sworn and asked to tell what he knew of the case. He said in substance:

The banks of the river are holding better than had been expected, but there is still great danger. The Government work boats which were tied up here during the winter CONTINUED ON PAGE TWO.

## LOUISIANA'S FIGHT TRIED TO DUPE THE CORONER.

PLUCK AND HARD WORK WIN, BAPTIST HOSPITAL AUTHORITIES THE RAIDERS HAVE ADVANCED SUPPRESS A SUICIDE.

Banks at Omaha Hold Better Than Ex- Tall Lying Done About the H. W. Turkey Tells Greece That Any Further Quinley Who Threw Himself From a Third-Story Window.

A patient in the St. Louis Baptist Hospi-

Above danger line and rising: Cairo 9.3, window and killed himself.

Dubuque 2.7, Vicksburg 10.5, New Orleans

Dr. Waldo Briggs, Chief Surgeon, issued a death certificate and put the cause of death down as epilepsy.

The hospital staff, under orders from Dr. C. C. Morris, Superintendent of the hos-La Crosse 3.0, Memphis 2.7.
Rising: Cincinnati 0.1, Louisville 0.2, Cairo
pital, superintendent of the hospital, superintendent of the hospital, superintendent of the hospital, superintendent of the hospital, superintendent of the hospital superint its reaching the Coroner's office.

> clerk that there was anything irregular about it he signed and stamped it as he could be taken to the dead man's home near Madison, Mo. Every effort was made by to the statement of Dr. Briggs he was even misinformed for the purpose of getting him to sign the epilepsy permit.

When questioned by Deputy Coroner Lloyd, Dr. Briggs said: "Why, they told me that the Coroner wanted it made out that

The Coroner had no knowledge of the case until he was shown the story in the Post-Dispatch of Tuesday afternoon and given a brief outline of the case by a Post-Dispatch reporter.

As soon as the case was called to the Coroner's attention the police report was hunted up. This was not made until the The report, as made by Officer Willis

APRIL 13, 1897. About 10 o'clock a. m. yesterday William Quinley, 35 years old, lived with his family in Madison, Monroe Co., Mo., was brought by friends to the Baptist Hospital, Garrison Between 3 and 4 o'clock yesterday evening he was sleeping and the nurse left the room to get some medicine, and before the nurse got back Quinley woke up, raised nurse got back Quinley woke up, raised the window and jumped to the granitoid sidewalk below, thirty feet. His left arm between the wrist and elbow was broken in two places, his skull was fractured slightly on the left side and he received internal injuries. His condition is serious, but Dr. C. C. Morris thinks they may be

able to pull him through.

The police report bears evidence on its face that the officer did not call at the hospital. A Post-Dispatch reporter called there Tuesday and was refused information.

A second call was made after the details of the accident were learned from neighbors who had witnessed it. The name of the patient was demanded. Everybody about the place insisted that they were away from the building Monday when the accident occurred. The doctor who carried the dying man in from the front steps told the reporter that he was not about when the accident occurred and knew nothing about it. All the attendants said that they had orders from Supt. Morris not to give any information.

Under a threat to bring in the police and

ders from Supt. Morris not to give any information.

Under a threat to bring in the police and have the matter forced from them, the physicians finally admitted that the victim was W. Quinley. Then they told the story of the broken arm and the patient's probable recovery, though the man had been dead twenty hours.

The police knew nothing of the accident until they read it in the Post-Dispatch. Then one of the bright lights of the Fourth District Sub-Station wrote a report from the misstatements the hospital staff had made to the Post-Dispatch.

If the policeman did go to the hospital he was lied to with as much fluency as was the reporter.

what he knew of the case. He said in substance: "This man H. W. Quinley was received here as a patient on Monday, April 12, about 10 o'clock in the morning. He was immedi-ately put in the male ward on the third floor, where he had been before. "He came here the first time December

# GREEKS DRIVING

AS FAR AS GREVENA.

Raid Will Be Taken to Mean War.

LONDON, April 14.-A special dispatch from Salonica, the Turkish base of operations, says that the Greek "Irregulars" have succeeded in advancing as far as Crevena. rallying the population to their cause and threatening communications between the Turkish armies at Flassona and Janina.

LARRISA, April 14.-Dispatches received here to-day from the Greek expeditionary force say that the irregulars have passed The death certificate was taken to the Mortnary office just before closing time are pushing on for Grevena, where a strong Tuesday night and as there was nothing on the face of it to indicate to the mortuary army corps, is stationed.

There are rumors here of ministerial changes, but there are no signs of relaxation would any ordinary permit and issued be-side a shipping permit so that the body | in preparing for war, and there will be a feeling of relief when hostilities commence. Trustworthy reports received here confirm the statements that the Greek irregulars Dr. Morris and his assistants to keep the affair from becoming public and according Turks lost forty men killed.

The insurgent chief Davells occupied a strong position in the mountains near Krania. His force was later attacked by a Turkish battalion from Velimisti, but the Turks were repulsed with severe loss. The Greeks then assumed the offensive, cut up the Turkish detachment, captured eighteen mules, a convoy of provisions and a large quantity of ammunition and made prisoners of fifteen Turks. After this success the Greeks advanced

to Kipuri, on the road to Grevena, threat-ening to cut communications of the Turkish central force at Flassona with Janina, the Turkish headquarters in Albania.

In all the skirmishes and fighting since crossing the frontier the Greeks lost only

five men killed and had fifteen men wounded. the south. A third brigade was formed tier. The enthusiasm of the troops is un

In Macedonia the weather is wet and cold, but in Thessaly fine weather prevails permitting the military authorities to complete all preparations for an advance into Turkish territory or defend the frontier in the event of the Turks assuming the offensive, which is looked upon here as to lng more probable.

NEW YORK, April 14.—A dispatch to the Herald from Constantinople says: Prince Mavrocordato, the Greek Minister to Turkey, went yesterday to the Sublime Porte to take leave of the foreign minister.

Turkey, went yesterday to the Sussetz Porte to take leave of the foreign minister. He awaits orders from his Government to start for Athens. The Sublime Porte has sent the necessary traveling expenses for the eventful return of its representative and of its Consuls in Greece.

The Porte has addressed a note to the great Powers, drawing attention to the unreasonable action of Greece and declaring that Turkey will maintain a defensive attitude, but in case of another invasion, such as that of last Friday, and which evidently was prepared with the consent of the Hellenic authorities, the Porte will feel obliged to command its generalissimo to act in the same manner.

same manner.

The Porte also alluded to the enormous through the hostile atti

The Turkish official papers announce tha an imperial order has just been given authorizing the Albanian Volunteers who presented themselves for enlistment at Cossovo to receive arms. The Vall has been commanded immediately to expedite the passage of those subsidiary troops to the fron-

e sage of those subsidiary troops to the frontier.

Lieut.-Col. Baron De Vialar, who has been in command of the French forces in Crete, returned here yesterday, an increase of the French contingent necessitating the appointment of an officer of higher rank. Baron De Vialar asked to be relieved of his duties in Crete. His competent opinion is that it is absolutely necessary that the islanders should be fully persuaded to the advantages of the projects of the great powers regarding Crete, and the urgency of accepting them; also, that unless a striking proof of the seriousness of the intentions and propositions of the great powers be given to the Cretans, no lasting result can be obtained.



Baker McKinley: "Now, boys, when you have finished quarreling I will divide this pie between you."

### THE WEATHER FORECAST.



FAIR AND WARMER. St. Louis and vicinity-Generally fair Wednesday night and Thursday. Warmer Thursday. Missouri-Generally fair Wednesday night and Thursday. Warmer in north portion

Illinois-Generally fair Wednesday night and Thursday, with local showers in extreme south portion Wednesday afternoon and night. Warm-er in north and central portions Wednesday night. Warmer in south portion Thursday.

POST-DISPATCH THERMOMETER

## TO RUN HONDURAS.

Extraordinary Concessions Granted by That Government to the Astors, Webbs et Al.

NEW YORK, April 14 .- A dispatch to the Herald from Tagucigalpa, Honduras, says The Honduras syndicate, composed o ominent Americans, to-day received from the Government valuable concessions. The syndicate is represented by Messrs. Henry I. Sprague and Washington Vaneltine, and includes the Astors, the Webbs and President Depew of the New York Central Railway.

The concessions which have been granted by the administration are of the most extensive nature. The American projectors are empowered to undertake the building of an interoceanic railway and to establish a steamship line on the Atlantic coast to nnect with New York.

The syndicate may also organize banks in the republic, take measures to finance the oreign debt, collect customs, administer the general finances, control the mining in-terests of the country and arrange for all mmigration privileges.

The congress will adjourn on Saturday The affairs of Honduras are progressing favorably and the administration of Presi-dent Bonilla is very strong.

### GASOLINE EXPLOSION.

Three Workmen Badly Burned and One May Die.

CLEVELAND, O., April 14.-An explo sion of gasoline set fire to the new Bradley Block, No. 270 St. Clair street, this morning. Three workmen, William Mullen, Sam-uel Wilson and Frederick Prenchant, were badls burned and the occupants were pankstricken. Frenchant, in his endeavor to escape, jumped through a large glass window and was seriously cut. He may die.

## CRIME OR ACCIDENT.

Ex-Secretary of State McFarland of Justice of India, who is in corr with the Methodist committee. Iowa Badly Injured and Foul Play Hinted At.

DES MOINES, Io., April 14 .- Ex-Secretary of State William M. McFarland is at the point of death at his home here from a fractured skull, received in some mysterious manner last night. It is said he fell from manner last night. It is said he fell from his porch, striking on the back of his head, but other reports indicate that he was assaulted by unknown enemies.

McFarland is one of the best known Republican politicians in the State. He served three terms as Secretary of State, and came near being nominated for Governor two years ago. Within the past few months it has been charged that his census, which cost \$100,000, cost the State \$50,000 more than necessary. Representative Funk has been making an investigation of the startling reports of extortion from clerks, etc., and is ready to report to the extra session. McFarland's condition caused a sen-

### CORN FOR INDIA.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

Dr. Hobbs Will Go and See to Its Distribution.

JACKSONVILLE, Ill., April 14.-Rev. G. Hobbs, of Jacksonville, who has been successful in securing a cargo of corn for the famine sufferers of India and which will shortly be shipped from San Francis-co, will probably go to the famine-stricken country to see that the supplies are prop-erly distributed. Efforts are now being

SOPHIE TRAUBMANN, THE FAMOUS SOPRANO. Miss Traubmann, who recently sang in St. Louis, it seems was married Feb.

15 to Charles Potzowsky, but kept the fact a secret until a few days ago, when

## FOUND HIS CHILD.

Millionaire Mohler of Minneapolis After Four Years' Search Is Successful in California.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., April 14.-After a search of four years. Edwin R. Mohler, a millionaire lumberman of Minneapolis, has their 8-year-old child, Paul Raymond Mohler. The woman was found yesterday afternoon in Pasadena, where she had been living for the past five months under the name of Austin. She was at once brought to Los Angeles and now is in charge of the Sheriff.

The story of her disappearance is a

Sheriff.

The story of her disappearance is a strange one. She and her husband were married in Minneapolis ten years ago and in 1833 a divorce was granted Mrs. Mohier on the ground of incompatibility, she receiving the custody of the child. Mohler, some months later, became suspicious of the health of the child and applied to the Superior Court of Hennepin County, Minnesota, for the custody of the child. After many hearings and a bitter fight, he was awarded the child, but his wife frustrated this by mysteriously disappearing with the infant son. She had given ou: that she was going to Florida, but really came to California, settling in Los Angeles. Detectives scoured the country and finally located her in Pasadena. She had married again and was living under the name of the story of the story of the later of the story of the country and finally located her in Pasadena. She had married again and was living under the name of the story of the child. The story of the story of the story of the child and applied to the superior Court of Henneyin Country, Minnesota, for the custody of the child. After many hearings and a bitter fight, and this voss have been as the story of electives have been as the story of electives have been as the story of electives they planked the journey to Louis, never dreaming that their wed day would be married in such a dissast maner.

A reporter for the Post-Dispatch to the Miss Voss have been as the target of the child. After many hearing and the journey to Louis, never dreaming that their wed day would be married any while. Some time ago and the story of the they planked the journey to cloud, never dreaming that their wed day would be married any while such a story of the they planked the journey to cloud the planked the journey to cloud, never dreaming that their wed day would be married any while such a story of the they planked the journey to cloud, never dreaming that their wed day would be married any with the wed in such a story

## STRUCK BY AN UNSEEN ENEMY.

LOUIS DAVID ALMOST MURDERED ON HIS WEDDING DAY.

WAS HIT WITH A STONE.

While on His Way to Get His Bride a Concealed Foe Attempted to Assassinate Him.

Suffering from concussion of the brain, roduced by a brutal assault by an unknown enemy hidden in ambush, Louis David of Kimmswick, Jefferson Co., lies at the Missouri Pacific Hospital, California and Park, this city, in an unconscious con-

Close beside the prostrate young man, anxiously watches Miss Mamie Voss, a little woman who would have been David's bride to-day but for the unforseen disaster

which resuited in his injury.

Davis was assaulted Wednesday morning about 7 o'clock as he was going to the home of Miss Voss in the little town of Kimms-wick for the purpose of taking her to the

depot to board a train for St. Louis. They were coming here to be married.

Some unknown party, crouched behind a projecting wing of the Presbyterian Church in Kimmswick, threw a Stone as David passed along the street, striking him squarely in the forehead. Aside from acute pain and profuse bleeding at the time of the assault, David thought his injury was of but little consequence. He hastily looked to see if he could locate his assailant, but be was unable to find him.

It was then near train time and he proeeded to the home of his bride, where his wound was dressed. He expressed the opinwound was dressed. He expressed the opinion that he would be able to make the trip and, accompanied by Mrs. Elizabeth Voss, mother of the bride-to-be, the wedding party took the morning train for St. Louis. Soon after leaving Kimmswick David complained of feeling deathly sick. He excused himself to get a drink of water. As he went to return to his seat he swooned and fell. Assisted by the train men, Miss Voss and her mother cared for the injured man as best they could until this city was reached.

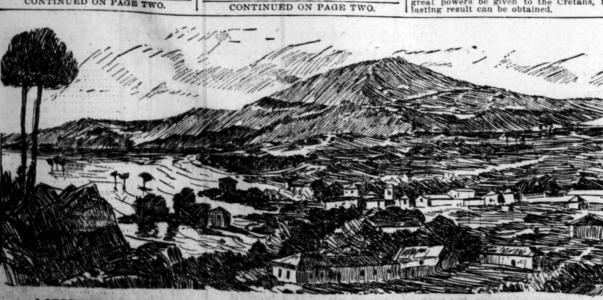
A telegram had previously been sent here to the hospital authorities and David was carried from the train to an ambulance, which conveyed him to the hospital. The examining physicians soon reached the con-clusion that he was suffering from concus-sion of the brain. While his condition is very critical, the doctors say that his in-jury is not necessarily fatal.

The blow struck by the stone thrown by the unknown party made two painful gashes in the forehead of the young man. The blood, which flowed freely when the the application of such remedies as were found at Miss Voss home. At noon to-day the injured man's head was swelling.

### AGAINST THE PULLMAN CO.

Verdict for the Loss of Wearing Apparel in a Sleeper.

pecial to the Post-Dispatch. NEW YORK, April 14.—Ephraim C. Force, n an assigned claim of Mrs. Olive A. Good-rin, has obtained a verdict of \$262 against he Pullman Palace Car Company, for the



MOUNT OLYMPUS SEEN FROM THE PLAINS OF THESSALY.

## LINES DRAWN ON THE TARIFF

THE RETROACTIVE CLAUSE HAD A VERY CLOSE CALL.

VEST DECLARED IT INVALID.

The Republicans Sent His Resolution to the Finance Committee by 24 to 23.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
WASHINGTON, D. C., April 14.—Senator Vest's speech in support of his resolution against the retroactive clause of the Dingley bill attracted much attention to-day He declared that the 27th section of the measure, which embodied the retroactive clause, was invalid. It was intended to scare importers. Capital was known to be timid. Importers were reluctant to go into court. The intent of the clause was to prevent the importation of goods until the bill could be passed. The provision was absurd and so clearly illegal that it ought not be considered.

WASHINGTON, April 14—An unexpected tariff vote was precipitated in the Senate to-day by Senator Morrill's motion to refer to the Finance Committee the Vest resolution declaring the order of Secretary Gage

to the Finance Committee the Vest resolution declaring the order of Secretary Gage as to the retroactive clause of the tariff illegal. A yea and nay vote was taken and Mr. Morrill's motion to refer prevailed, yeas, 24: nays, 23.

The detailed vote was as follows:
Yeas—Baker, Burrows, Carter, Clark, Cullom, Davis, Foraker, Frye, Gallinger, Hawley, Hanna, Hansbrough, Hoar, McMillan, Mantle, Mason, Nelson, Platt of New York, Pritchard, Proctor, Quay, Spooner, Warren, Wellington—34.

Nays—Bate, Butler, Cannon, Chandler, Chilton, Cockrell, Gorman, Gray, Harris of Kansas, Heitfeld, Lindsay, McEnery, Martin, Mills, Morgan, Pasco, Pettigrew, Pettus, Rawlins, Turner, Turple, Vest and Walthall—23.

The only Republican vote cast against the motion was that of Mr. Chandler, while the Democrats voted solidly against it. They had the assistance of all the silver Republicans and the Populists present except Mr. Mantle, silver Republican of Montana, who voted with the straight Republicans and the Populists, were recorded against the motion. Messrs, Teller and Jones and Stewart of Nevada were absent.

Morgan asked to have a time set for a Morgan asked to have a time set

and Jones and Stewart of Nevada were absent.

Morgan asked to have a time set for a final vote on the Cuban resolution. Mr. Hoar objected and Mr. Morgan gave notice that he would call up the resolution daily until a vote was secured.

During the consideration of the Indian appropriation bill which was taken up in the afternoon Senator Gorman criticised the manner of passing appropriation bills without properly organized committees. He declared that it was in opposition to the caution of President McKinley in his inaugural address that strict economy should be used.

### THE HOUSE.

### Bill Allowing Roads to Make Traffic Agreements.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 14.-Repretroduced in the House a bill to amend the anti-trust law so that it will not prevent rallroad traffic agreements. Mr. Shannon's bill is much less complete than Sena'or Foraker's. The amendment which he po-

bill is much less complete than Senator Foraker's. The amendment which he proposes follows:

"Nothing in this act, however, shall be deemed or taken to prohibit railroad or other transportation companies in the United States, owning and operating competing lines, from entering into an eements between each other, for the purpose of establishing or maintaining freight and passenger rates over their respective lines. Provided that such agreements before going into effect shall be submitted to and approved by the Interstate Commerce Commission and a copy of all such agreements filed with the said commission."

### APPOINTMENTS.

### James B. Angell Named as Minister to Turkey and Meiklejohn Assistant Secretary of War.

President to-day sent the following nomina-tions to 'he Senate: James B. Angell of Michigan to be Envoy

James B. Angell of Michigan to be Envoy
Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary
of the United States to Turkey.
George N. West of the District of Columbia, Consul of the United States at Pictou,
Nova Scotia.
George D. Melklejohn of Nebraska to be
Assistant Secretary of War.
To be Commissioners of the District of
Columbia, John B. Wight and John W.

, Idaho. sper P. Grady of Indian Territory, Mar-of the Central District in the Indian

shal of the Central District in the Territory.

Navy-Seligman Bros., special fiscal agents of the Navy Department at London, England.

War-First Lieutenant E. H. Browne, 4th Infantry, to be Captain; Second Lieutenant P. A. Wolfe, 3d Infantry, to be First Lieutenant; Second Lieutenant J. W. Joyce, 5th Artillery, to be First Lieutenant; Corporal George L. Byroade, 1st Artillery, to be Becond Lieutenant.

Treasury Statement. WASHINGTON, April 14.—To-day's statement of the condition of the Treasury shows: Available cash balance, \$224,567,348; gold reserve, \$154,188,011.

WRECKED HIS HOME. Yet Christian Science Was Not Good Ground for Divorce.

E. Gerard, a Santa Fe Railway fireman, who lives in Argentine, was before Judge Alden in the Kansas City (Kan.) District Court yesterday afternoon asking for a divorce from his wife, Margaret Isabel Gerard, whom he married at Emporia, Kan., in 1826. Christian Science wrecked his home, he said. When Mr. Gerard had finished his story, Judge Alden stated that under the testimony he would have to refuse to grant a divorce, as Christian Science did not constitute sufficient grounds for a divorce. E. Gerard, a Santa Fe Railway fireman

Steamship Movements. NEW YORK, April 14.-Arrived: Patria, NEW YORK, April 14.—Arrived: Ken-



## MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

URGING PROVISION FOR THE PARIS EXPOSITION.

of the respective houses of the Congress a report of the Secretary of State representing the appropriateness of early action in order that the Government of the United States may be enabled to accept the invitation of that of the French Republic to participate in the universal exposition to be held in Paris in 1900.

The recommendations of this report have my most cordial approval, and I urge upon the Congress such timely provision for this great international enterprise as will fitted international enterprise as will fitted international enterprise as will fitted states and producers produced by may have adequate option of the world's competitive fields of discovery and industry. Nor are the traditional friendships of the United States and France and the mutual advantages to accure from their enlarges commercial intercourse less important factors than the individual interests to be fostered by renewed participation in a great French Exposition, especially when it is remembered that the present display is projected with a degree of completeness an 1 on a scale of magnificence beyond any of the European exhibitions that have marked the close of the century. It is proper that I should emphasize the seed of early action, for if the present being made the postponement of the matter for nearly a year longer could not but operate greatly to the disadvantage of the United States, in view of the elaborate preparations already making by other government of the seed of early action of the elaborate preparations already making by other government and the danger that further delay making and the danger that further delay making and the danger that further delay making the conganization of the seed as an incomplete organization of the seed as an incomplete organization of the seed as an incomplete organization of the seed as a incomplete organization of the seed

Executive Mansion, Washington, D. C. April 14, 187.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 14.—The first step toward the acceptance of the invitation from France to participate in the Paris Exposition of 1990 has been taken by this government in the following action: Senator Mason of Illinois, offered in the Senate a joint resolution accepting the invitation, and providing for the appointment of a commissioner general, an assistant commissioner general and nine scientific experts to represent the United States. The sum of \$750,000 is appropriated to meet the expenses of the exhibit.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 14.-The Opposing the Imposition of a Duty on

New England against the imposition of a duty on hides. The Leather Trust is opposed to a tariff on hides, and while the Republican majority of the Senate Finance Committee has been working very quietly on these changes in the Dingley bill, nothing has developed to show cause why acy trust should feel alarmed. The schedule on hides will no doubt be satisfactory to the leather men when the bill is reported to the Senate.

### ATKINSON WINS.

Throw-Down for Filley in the St. Joseph Postmastership.

Special to the Post Dispatch.
WASHINGTON, D. C., April 14.—The papers in the St Joseph post-office case have finally been made out. To-morrow or next day the appointment will be made. Frank Atkinson, the present postmaster, will be reappointed. This will end the first bitter fight between the Kerens and Filley factions. It will be a victory for the silk stockings and a hard throw-down for Filley, Bartholdt, Joy and Crowther, the ex-Congressman from St. Joseph. pers in the St Joseph post-office case have

Confirmations.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 14.—The enate has confirmed the following nomina-Japan. James Boyle of Ohio, to be Consul at

Georgia.

W. T. Beail of Leadville, Colo., to be Register of the Land Office at Leadville.

Colo.

Alexander J. Cooke of Mississippi, to be United States Marshal, Northern District of Mississippi.

Nathan P. Johnson of De Smet, S. D., to be agent of the Indians of the Sisseton Agency, S. D.

William B. Ridgley, to be Postmaster at Springfield, Ill.

door.
"He was unconscious then and unable to make any statement. He remained unconscious until he died about 5 o'clock that

"Who issued the death certificate?" asked Dr. Lloyd.
"Dr. Briggs."
"Was there any history to indicate eplepsy?"
"I understood that there was, but I see his relatives deny this."
"Are you not positive, Doctor, that it vest not eplepsy that killed him, but that me died from injuries sustained by that fall?"
"Oh, yes. He undoubtedly died from the effects of the fall."
"Then why was the cause of death put down as eplepsy?"
"That is what was supposed to have caused him to jump."
"Miss Olive Chambers, the nurse, said: "When the patient was brought into the ward about 10 o'clock Monday morning he refused to answer any questions put thim."
"Did he act as if in a normal state of mind?"
"No, he was silent and stared at me when I tried to question him, but he was perfectly quiet."
"Well, about 3:55 o'clock I went out of the ward for a moment. Mr. Quinley and an election."

Is the the the questy was unable to find Mr. Todd.
It was stated this morning that John W. Gaines, father of Capt. Noel Gaines, who brought the charges of bribery against Hunter, had been summoned before the Grand-jury, and that he would swear that one of the most prominent men in Louis-one of the most prominent men in Louis-one of the word fired him money with which to buy oftes for the first. Hunter has the assurance of the vote of Stege (Boyle Republican), and is still within one vote of an election. Prospects are for long balloting. Fifth ballot: Hunter, 69; Blackburn, 43; Martin, 12; Boyle, 6; Stone, 1. Necessary to a choice, 62.

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nappened."

Do you know how soon he died after he jumped out of the window?"

"Yes. in about an hour. It was about 5 or 5:30"

These were all the or 5:30"
These were all the witnesses examined by Dr. Lloyd in the hospital. Dr. Morris stated that the body had been turned over to Undertaker Bergesh for shipment.
Dr. Waldo Briggs was next called upon by the Deputy Coroner.
Dr. Briggs said that be had seen the patient on the morning of his arrival at the hospital, but did not recognize him as having been in the hospital before. The doctor continued:

expenses of the exhibit.

LEATHER TRUST STIRRED UP.

Opposing the Imposition of a Duty on Hides.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON. D. C. April 14.—The Republican members of the Senate Committee on Finance are hearing to-day the protests of the leather manufacturers of Mew England against the imposition of a duty on hides. The Leather Trust is opposed to a tariff on hides, and while the Republican majority of the Senate Finance Committee has been working very quietty.

Besides the hospital before. The doctor continued:

"When I saw him last he was a mere skeleton, but when he came in Monday he had fattened up considerably and I did not recognize him. I asked him a number of questions, but after saying a few words he shut up and refused to talk. I thought his mind was a bit unbalanced and paid no further attention to him at the time.

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Dr. Briggs admitted that he did not know any listory of the case that would warrant issuing an epilepsy certificate, but that he signed the certificate as he did many other hospital certificates entirely upon the representations of the officers of the hospital, who were supposed to know all the facts in the case.

Dr. Lloyd, after obtaining all the facts he considered necessary in the case, reported to Dr. Wait the result of his investigation, and a verdict was found to the effect that Mr. Quinley had not died of epilepsy, but had committed suicide by jumping out of a window while suffering from mental derangement supposedly caused by epilepsy.

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A certificate in accordance with the verdict of the Coroner was made out and will go on record in that form instead of as made by Dr. Briggs.

Every step in the investigation showed that Dr. Morris and his assistants had deliberately tried to suppress the facts in the case and prevent its becoming public. No report was made by the hospital authorities to the Coroner, and every effort on the part of the newspapers to arrive at the facts was met with point blank derials and threats that if the story was published the papers would not be allowed to get any information about some new X-ray experiments to be made at the hospital shortly.

All day yesterday the doctors at the hospital conveyed the impression that Mr. Quinley was still alive and had a chance of recovering from his injuries.

Exciting Hotel Fire.

CHICAGO, April 14.—Fire to-day destroyed the Gorman House at Kensington. A number of guests on the third and fourth loors had to be removed by ladders. Two women were rescued in an unconscious condition. Loss, \$3,500.

Judge B. R. Sheldon Dead.

ROCKFORD, Ill., April 14.—Judge B. R. theldon, formerly a member of the State upreme Court and one of the wealthiest titzens of Rockford, died to-day, aged 85.

KISSAMO KASTELLI IN NORTHWEST GREECE

### THOSE BRIBERY. INDICTMENTS

FRANKFORT GRAND-JURY STILL HARD AT WORK.

LAID OVER ANOTHER DAY.

Several Ballots Taken on the Senator ship, but Hunter Still Failed of Election.

FRANKFORT, Ky., April 14.-There were no material changes on the thirty-sixth ballot for United States Senator, which gave Hunter 61; Blackburn, 44; Martin, 12; Boyle, 6; Stone, 1; necessary to choice, 63. Before the joint legislative session con

make any statement. He remained unconscious until he died about 5 o'clock that evening.

"What time did he jump out of the window?" was asked.

"About 4 o'clock."

"What attendants carried him in?"

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"I don't know exactly, but Dr. Donoher was with them and took charge of the patient."

"Who issued the death certificate?" asked Dr. Lloyd.

"Dr. Rivers."

"The Rivers."

"And the ballot was a copy of the thirty-sixth.

A Deputy Sheriff arrived at the Capitol at 11 o'clock, armed with subpoenas for Representative Clarke, one of the anti-Hunter men, and half a dozen newspaper correspondents. It was also stated that a subpoena had been issued for Mayor Todd, of Louisville, who has been in Frankfort a great deal of the time, endeavoring to assist Dr. Hunter, but the deputy was unable to find Mr. Todd.

It was stated this morning that John W.

### A WOMAN'S VICTIM.

Stenographical Siren Caused the Criminal Downfall of Banker Spalding of Chicago.

velopments are constantly coming to light regarding the affairs of the Globe Savings Bank. It comes out now that President He is a grandfather, but for years he has been infatuated with a woman young enough to be his daughter. For her sake he



CHARLES WARREN SPALDING.

"US AND THE REPUBLICANS." D. R. Francis Tells How "Bryanism" Was Defeated.

There is much comment around the hotel lobbles and among politicians throughout the city on account of the speech made by ex-Gov. D. R. Francis at the banquet given by gold standard Democrats, so-called, Tuesday night.

The most significant utterance of the ex-Governor was: "To us and the Republicans belongs credit for the defeat of Bryanism and the silver fallaey." Numerous well-known Democrats who happened to be within hearing, although not participants in the banquet, declare that the foregoing is, in all essential points, the exact language used by Mr. Francis.

STATE SUPREME COURT.

A Number of Cases Argued and Submitted on Briefs. Special to the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., April 14.—Divi-

norning pursuant to adjournment, and the following proceedings were had:
State vs. Wiseback; submitted on record.
State vs. Napper; motion to continue overruled, twenty days to appellant to file briefs; submitted on briefs by respondent; argument by appellant.
State vs. Waters; argued and submitted by appellant; submitted on briefs by respondent; briefs to be filed when printed.
McMillin vs. Farrow; submitted on briefs leave to respondent to file supplementary brief in ten days.
Court adjourned to to-morrow morning at closets, ladden in purses, house closets. ollowing proceedings were had:

ion No. 2 of the Supreme Court met this

LOUISIANA'S FIGHT

FOR THE LEVEES.

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have been steamed up and sent to the breaks, to do what is possible to save the cut-off.

From all along the river north and south of Omaha come reports of flooded bottoms and of squatters fleeing in the night from the angry waters. No loss of life is reported yet, but the property damage is enormous.

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At noon the river was still rising slowly. A new break in the banks of Florence Lake has occurred above the dyke built yesterday, and the water is again pouring into Cuthouses of the people in East and North Omaha and to the tracks of the railroads along the river front. The East Omaha Terminal Company's yards are almost completely submerged. The Union Pacific and Burlington have lost some sections of side tracks which have been undermined and slid into the river. The lower yards of both systems are practically abandoned. The other roads are faring better as their yards are on higher ground. The Columbia distillery stands on a knoll surrounded by water. The Willow Springs distillery is just out of reach of the water, and the Omaha and Grant Smelter is in the same fix. Some water has backed in around the Union Pacific shops, but not enough to do serious damage. Along the river front hundreds of squatters have been driven from their huts and many of these are being swept away.

On the lows side the levee which protects

VICKSBURG, Miss., April 14.—The Louis-iana situation continues critical, but men are working steadily. A large lot of stock arrived this morning from Davis Island. General Superintendent Sullivan of the Il-linois Central leaves for Natchez to-night. Below Baton Rouge the situation was such that he felt hopeful.

GREENVILLE, Miss., April 14.-Another GREENVILLE, Miss., April 14.—Another wet blanket was thrown over the Misslssippl Valley to-day when the Weather Bureau rainfall report reached here. This makes even the most sanguine planters give in. The water will not go off before June 15.

The water is within a few feet of the tracks at Weston and trains run at a very slow rate of speed at this point. If the rise continues there may be a total suspension of traffic by way of this line.

The Missouri Pacific is also having considerable trouble between this city and Atchison, and both companies have had large forces of men at work riprapping and protecting their property as best they could for over a week.

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LEAVENWORTH, Kan., April 14.—The river has risen one foot since yesterday, and at noon at 48.8 is higher than at any time since 1891, when the pontoon bridge went out. The banks have begun to overflow at some points, and this morning carried out a portion of the Rock Island track across in Platte County. That road and the Chicago Great Western have been compelled to use the Burlington tracks between Leavenworth and Beverly Junction.

and Beverly Junction.

MOLINE, Ill., April 14.—The river is still rising here, and the danger of the Moline water power wall is so imminent that the Government has taken an emergency action to protect it. A slanting bulkhead is being built so as to take care of a possible rise of two feet or more above the present wall. The water now stands at 20.5 feet, or within two feet of the top. The wall, which was built many years ago, has been weakened, and the water is now sweeping all along its length. The coffer dam which protects the new wall in course of construction is also being strengthened with temporary stone buttresses and bags of sand. Several factory basements are already under water and considerable apprehension exists regarding the flood.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

ARKANSAS CITY, Ark., April 14.—There were heavy rains last night. The river registers 49.9 feet, a fall of one-tenth in the last forty-eight hours. The levees stand firm, with an average crown of three feet high and dry.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., April 14.--A large lot of recres at points above Osceola on the steamer Chickasaw. The supplies were purchased by Capt. Davis, who was sent here by Secretary Alger for that purpose. Lieut. Whitney is on board the Chickasaw, and will make an inspection of the situation above Ashport. He has already investigated the conditions between Memphis and Ashport. Government supplies have also been sent to Vincent and Marked Tree. In the future supplies will be sent out rapidly, as soon as the relief stations along the river are established. The Government officials and the Citizens' Relief Committee are working together in this matter, and hope within short time to have the relief work in such systematic shape that it will not be very laborious.

systematic shape that it will not be very laborious.

The Christian Herald of New York, which is edited by the Rev. T. De Witt Talmage, will send a relief boat down the river from Memphis. George A. Seaman, a representative of the Christian Herald, has come to this city from New York in order to conduct this expedition. Yesterday Mr. Seaman chartered the tug Welcome and bought provisions for her cargo. Thursday morning the Welcome will start down the river and she will be gone about a week, Mr. Seaman wild distribute the supplies to the overflowed people in need of them.

This relief expedition is entirely independent of the local relief committee. The Christian Herald expects to give aid to many people before they are reached by the Government agents.

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Special to the Post-Dispatch.

ATCHISON, Kan., April 14.—The river has filled Mud Lake in Missouri above Atchison. The lake went dry several years ago. If the river rises a foot higher it will reach the Kansas City, St. Joseph & Council Bluffs tracks a mile east of Atchison, over which all roads enter Atchison from the east. The river is now higher than it has been at any time since 1881, with the exception of the year 1883. The farmers in the Missouri bottoms east of here are becoming alarmed, fearing there will be another flood similar to that in 1881.

DUBUQUE, Io., April 14.—The stage of the Mississippi is now 17.7 feet. Water is in cellars of several warehouses on the river front, and goods have been removed to upper floors. It is believed the river has reached its height, as it is falling at all points north of this city.

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DAVENPORT, Io., April 14.—The Mississippi is within less than two feet of the danger line at this point and is rising at the rate of several inches daily. Mcrchants are moving goods from cellars in the business district and the district below the city, and in the Rock River and Iowa River valleys a large area of lowland is underwater, while families are moving back from the river to escape the advancing flood. At Burlington, Io., the river is again rapidly rising, and is now ten feet six inches above normal. The residents of Huron Island have moved to the main land, as that Island is nearly under water.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., April 14.-Me? R.

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CONRAD'S BAKING POWDER.... CONRAD'S, 620 LOCUST,

W. Brown, managing editor of the Louis-ville Times, has delivered to Gov. Jones \$1,290 in cash for relief of the flood suffer-ers. The Governor will send his private secretary on a tour through the flooded district to distribute the funds where need-ed.

\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* **Shapely Shoes for Sunday** HARRIS,

DEATHS.

DONOVAN-Mary L. Donovan, beloved wife of Joseph T. Donovan, Wednesday morning at 6 o'clock after a brief ili-Funeral Thursday at 2 o'clock from family residence, 3037 Pine atreet, thence to Immaculate Conception Church. Calvary Cemetery. ness, aged 48 years.

The \$4 Shoe Man, 520 PINE. "NAPOLEON OF POOTWEAR."

DOW-On Wednesday, April 14, 1897, at 6 o'clock a. m., Bridget Dow.

The funeral will take place from family residence, 2008 North Twentieth street, to Sacred Heart Church, thence to Cavalry Cemetery. Friends are invited to attend.

Due notice of time will be given.

FINIGAN—On Tuesday, April 13, 1897, at 11:30 o'clock p. m., James Finigan, father of Mrs. Henry Schlinger, Mrs. Wm. Dressler and Mrs. Ben Menges. The funeral will take place Friday, April 16, at 2 o'clock p.m., from late residence, No. 1312 Chestnut street, to St. John's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends are invited to attend.

FOLEY-On Tuesday, April 13, 1897, at 9:15 o'clock p. m., Thomas Foley, beloved husband of Mary Foley (nee Quinlan).

The funeral will take place Thursday, April 15, at 1:30 p. m., from family residence. No. 1603 Hogan street, to St. Leo's Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery. Friends are invited to attend. Deceased was a member of St. Bridget's Council, K. of F. M.

GARVEY-On the 14th inst., at 1:30 a. m. John Garvey, aged 41 years, the beloved husband of Mary Garvey (nee Dewar).

The funeral will take place from the family residence, No. 3000 Olive street, on Thursday, the 15th inst., at 2 p. m., to the College Church, thence to Calvary

emetery. Marshall (Ill.) papers please copy. KNORPP-Tuesday, April 13, at 6 o'clock p. m., Tillie Knorpp, aged 15 years, 1 month and 5 days, dear daughter of George Knorpp and Julia Knorpp, nee

Funeral Thursday, April 15, at 1:30 p. m., from residence, 1806 Menard street, to St. Mathew's Cemetery.

MILLER-On Sunday, April 11, Louis F. Miller, aged 41 years and 9 months, at 8t. Augustine, Fla., beloved husband of Minnie Miller (nee Leppert).
Funeral Thursday, April 15, at 1:20
p. m., from his residence, 2:40 South
Eighteenth street, to St, Matthew's Conetery. Friends and relatives invited to
attend.

OGAN-Tuesday, April 13, at 11 a. m., Margaret Rogan, beloved mother of Margaret Rogan, beloved mother of Patrick T. Rogan and Sister James, of St. Joseph's Order. Funeral from the family residence, Mill Walton avenue, Thursday, April B, at 1:30 p. m., to Visitation Church, thence to Calvary Cemetery, Friends are in-vited to attend.

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EASTER FLOWERS. PALMS, INDELL FLOWER STORE,

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

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ENTHUSIASTIC REUNION ON JEF-FERSON'S BIRTHDAY.

SPEECHES BY EMINENT MEN. DEMOCRAT TO BE UNSEATED. THEY DENY HIS ELIGIBILITY.

tionary Work and Predicted Ultimate Silver Success.

by a subscription dinner given under the as the Indian Queen. Jackson was the guest of honor and the occasion was made guest of honor and the occasion was made memorable by the presence of Vice-President John C. Calhoun and other Democratic leaders of that day. Last night Wm. J. Bryan of Nebraska, the late Democratic candidate for President, was the guest of honor. Covers were laid for 200.

Popular and old-fashioned music was rendered and much enthusiasm prevailed. Mr. Balley was present and thus stories of jealousy were put at rest.

Mr. Bryan responded to the toast: "Thomas Jefferson—We celebrate the anniversary of his birth, not in the spirit of personal idolatry, but from regard and deference for his political principles."

Mr. Bryan said, in pa.\*:

"The Democratic party is strong just in proportion as it proves true to the teachings of its founder. It is the mission of the Democratic party to crystallize into legislation the principles which he taught.

"The party applies Democratic principles to the issues which arise from time to time. For many years the tariff question was the paramount issue, and the party took a more advanced position each year, until 1892, when it declared itself in favor of a policy which meant substantially a tariff for revenue only. But the President elected at that time, instead of proceeding to carry out that portion of the platform, forced upon public attention an issue which had up to that time been considered secondary. Mr. Cleveland, more than any other one person in this nation, is responsible for the prominent position which the money question now occupies. It was his determination to complete the demonetization of silver and make the gold standard perpetual that aroused the masses of the tringele for supremacy between the gold standard and bimetallism was recognized as a contest between the money power and the common people.

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"The explicit declaration in favor of free and unlimited colonage at 16 to 1 without waiting for the ald or consent of any other nation was made necessary by the attempt of certain public men to evade preceding platforms. The party struggle which culminated in the Chicago Convention of necessity alienated a portion of the party. The party susplaced in the position where it was compelled to indorse the financial policy of the President or adhere to the doctrines and traditions of "a party.

"The position taken by the Democratic party in 1896 will not be surrendered. If you doubt the permanency of of the Chicago platform as a party creed, go among the rank and file of the party and measure the zeal and enthusiasm which that platform has aroused and you will realize the impossibility of taking a backward step.

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"True." the present administration is seeking to turn public attention to the tariff usestion, but if our reasoning is well founded an increase of taxes cannot restore proserity to the producers of wealth. If the bingley bill brings general and permanent crosperity, the Democratic party will not be na position to win a contest by opposing it. If, on the other hand, the Dingley bill proves in disappointment to those who advocated it, bur position to 1896 will be strengthened and public attention will be riveted upon the fact that the cause of financial depression is to be found in our monetary system.

"There is much in recent events to encourage the followers of Thomas Jefferson. The spring elections indicate a growing sentiment along the lines of the Chicago platform. In fact, the elections which have taken place show so great a gain that the Republican party. It has but one hope of escape from the wrath to come, and that is to secure bimetallism by international agreement before the people of the nation have another opportunity to speak at the polls. While we who believe in independent bimetallism generally regard an international agreement as neither necessary nor possible, we may well hope for success to any who may make the attempt to secure foreign assistance. If our opponents succeed in opening the mints of other nations as well as their own mints, we shall rejoice because the condition of the people will be im-If the mints of other nations as well as ele condition of the people will be imposed and they will be able to proceed with her remedial legislation. If, however, the publican party, after pledging itself to use international bimetallism, finds it imposed to fill that pledge, its expressed effective for a double standard will rise to condemn it if it atfempts to continue teer the evils of the gold standard."

Responses to toasis were also made by Senator Jones of Arkansas, Congressman Bland of Missouri, Joseph C. Sibley of Pennsylvania, John J. Lentz of Ohio, Andrew J. Lipscomb of Virginia and William Sulzer of New York. Each took for his theme a passage from some one of Jefferson's public utterances.

Senator Jones, Chairman of the Democratic National Committee, in responding to his toast, referred to the insults given to Mr. Bryan at Yale College and the refusal of the students there to hear him during the last campaign. He said:

"And this in New England, the proud seat of our learning, where men in the old days would have died to maintain the right of free speech."

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a result of the recent municipal elec-s, he said, showed that the cities, which he last campaign were the strongholds the Republicans, had regained their ses and had railled to the standard of who founded the Democratic party and see motto was, "Equal and exact justice all." all.

After the toasts had been responded to
ere were many impromptu speeches and
was hours after midnight before the
nner broke up.

### POLITICAL DEADLOCK.

Mayor and Council of Warrensburg Fail to Agree.

WARRENSBURG, Mo., April 14.-The re sult of the recent city election was to give the Democrats a majority in the City Counthe Democrats a majority in the City Council. Now Maj. C. E. Clark, a Republican, refuses to make the appointments agreed upon by the Council for night policeman, Street Commissioner, Cemetery Sexton and City Hall Janitor, and the Council is dead-locked in consequence. The same thing happened two years ago, and the dead-lock was unbroken for nearly six months. Both Mayor and Council are determined, but it is doubtful if Clark will persist in blocking the people.

### New Missouri Corporations.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., April 14.—The
Becretary of State to-day chartered the following comparing retary of State to-day to the first companies:

H. Kaiser-Lindemann Grocery Company of St. Louis: capital, \$40.000; incorporates, John N. Kaiser, A. A. Lindemann and the W. Kaiser.

The National Conduit Company of St. Jouis; capital, \$2,000; incorporators, F. W. Jouis, C. Gamble, Edward Brown and Jouis Company Compa cick Refrigerator and Manufacturing any of Kansas City; capital, \$15,000; porators, W. C. Herrick, Dennison R. e. A. J. Nutter and others.

Wilson Creek Reunion.

# POOL SELLING

ABLY REPORTED.

by the House Despite the Governor's Objections.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 14.—The 154th anniversary of Jefferson's birthday was celebrated last night at the Metropolitan Hotel by a subscription dinner given under the session yesterday afternoon and decided to Pinkerton detective for Chief of Police, auspices of the National Association of Democratic Clubs. The first celebration of making for thirty days on the same track in the State, as required by the statutes, each year, from May 1 to Nov. 1. There are will be tested in the courts, if efforts no as the Indian Queen. Jackson was the Chairman Kilcourse only notified those meeting of the Stonemasons' International duced a bill legalizing pool selling for sixty days. He referred it to the Committee on Live Stock and Dairying. This committee Chief of Police. The resolutions recite that days. He referred it to the Committee on Live Stock and Dairying. This committee is composed mainly of farmers, and as they have no great interest in pool selling and bookmaking, they neglected to take any action on the measure. It was in vain that Klicourse and others besought this committee to report the bill out. The session is drawing to a close now and the Chicago members who want such a bill passed concluded that they would draft a committee bill. Accordingly the Klicourse bill was taken and adopted, with the exception that it provides for thirty, instead of sixty days racing, as was stipulated in the orignal bill. A number of the members of the committee had no intimation that there was a meeting of the Committee on License, and a lively time is expected on the floor of the House when the bill comes up. In support of a pool selling bill it is urged that it will bring revenue into the State Treasury, as a tax of \$50 is assessed for each day that pools are sold at a meeting. These payments are to be made daily, and reported to the County Treasurer.

Mr. Klicourse reported the bill this morning, and it was promptly referred to the Committee on Live Stock and Dairying.

Section 3 of the bill is as follows:

"At and during the time of every race meeting it shall be lawful to make books by and sell pools within every such racing inclosure upon the result of any race, contest or trials of speed and endurance between horses to be actually had upon and within such racing inclosure during the meeting then being held, but no books shall be made, or pools bought or sold at any other time or upon any race, event, contest or trial, that takes place outside of such racing inclosure.

This section of the bill will prevent the making of books on foreign races, and it is claimed that much of the evil of horse racing and pool selling is eliminated.

It seems probable that the House Committee on Elections will follow in the foot-

It seems probable that the House Committee on Elections will follow in the footsteps of the Senate Committee on Elections and present a seat in the Legislature to a Republican who does not deserve it. Ever since Senator Berry was presented with Senator Manifold's seat in the Senate all contested election cases have been the laughing stock of people who watch this session of the Legislature. When Berry was seated, Manifold, the man whom he contested, was voted his salary as a Senator and given \$750 for attorneys' fees and expenses. Since the Legislature convened the House Committee on Elections has had before it for consideration the contest of Jett A. Kirby, Republican, against Robert R. English, Democrat, of the Forty-seventh District. The vote has been canvassed and, by some sleight of hand work, Kirby has been found to have a majority of 14 over English. The report of the committee will be presented to the House at an early date and will doubtlessly be adopted.

The Republican steering committee held a meeting immediately after the House adjourned yesterday for the purpose of conferring about the judicial apportionment bill. So many Republicans opposed the measure on the floor of the House that the leaders became alarmed and postponed further action until 11 o'clock to-day. The steering committee appointed a sub-committee consisted of Cochran, Allen and Schubert, to canvass the Republican side of the House for the purpose of ascertaining how many Republicans would support the measure as it now stands on the order of third meeting. This committee subsequently reported that there were enough members in favor of it to insure its passage. The bill does not meet the approval of Gov. Tanner, and Speaker Curtis, Schubert and Allen held a conference with him regarding the measure. Gov. Tanner expressed the strong desire that the bill be changed and that the counties in the southern part of the State be reallotted. The Governor suggested that the circuits in Southern Illinois be arranged as follows:

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First Circuit—Randolph, Perry, Franklin, Jackson, Williamson, Union, Johnson, Alexander. Pulaski and Massack.
Second Circuit—Madison, St. Clair, Monroe, Washington and Jefferson.
Third Circuit—Clay, Richland, Lawrence, Wayne, Edwards, Wabash, Hamilton, White, Saline, Galiatin, Hardin and Pope. Fourth Circuit—Christian, Montgomery, Shelby, Fayette, Effingham, Jasper, Clinton and Marion.
Fifth Circuit—Vermilion, Douglas, Edgar, Coles, Clark, Cumberland and Crawford. The suggestions of Gov. Tanner were discussed, but final action was postponed until this morning.
The Republican steering committee held a session this morning and decided to push through the judicial apportionment bfl. The feeling was that if it was recalled from second reading the discontented Republicans and Democrats might succeed in adopting amendments not desired. The bill came up as a special order in the House at 11 o'clock and was passed by a vote of 85 yeas to 59 nays. The bill goes to the Governor now, and, while he objects to the distribution of Southern Illinois counties, it is thought he will sign it.

### ADJOURNMENT SUGGESTED.

Merriam Thinks the Legislative Mill Should Stop May 6.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., April 14.—Representative Merriam, Republican, offered a joint resolution in the House for sine die djournment on May 6. The resolution came as a bomb to the members, as Merriam had asked no advice and held no Merriam had asked no advice and held no conference with the Republican Steering Committee. Needles said he was sorry the resolution had been offered at this time, as no conference had been held among the members of the Steering Committee. The Appropriations Committee cannot possibly get through by that date. Merriam retorted that it was his right to offer such a resolution, and he considered that the House was competent to pass on this question.

Action was postponed a week. Bank of the Republic Removal.

The effects of the National Bank of the Republic were removed to the offices of the Merchants'-Laclede Bank Wednesday afternoon.

The money and secutities were transferred under the supervision of Cashier Graham of the Bank of the Republic. He had no trouble, as the bank's cash is in large bills. Mr. Graham will become Assistant Cashier of the Merchants'-Laclede President Gaus of the absorbed bank will become a Director of the Merchants'-Laclede Laclede.

Polish Branch Bryan Club.

At a meeting of the Polish Branch Workingmen's Bryan Club, resolutions were passed declaring that certain articles published in the St. Louis Republic regarding the club were false. The resolutions state that John Kaskinski is not a member of the club nor a citizen of St. Louis. The club uspended its President, A. S. Lamkiewicz, for violating the constitution, and electe. H. Wajciechowski to succeed him. Resolutions were passed censuring the municipal authorities for not cleaning the streets in the Fourth Ward.

Burlington Route to the Kootenai.

# CHIEF VALLINS

BILL ALLOWING IT TO BE FAVOR- KANSAS CITY LABOR UNIONS AF-TER HIS SCALP.

Mr. Bryan Dwelt on Cleveland's Reac- Judicial Reapportionment Bill Passed Strong Case to Be Made in the Courts on Constitutional and Statutory Grounds.

> Special to the Post-Dispatch.
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> KANSAS CITY, Mo., April 14.—The right whom he knew favored race track legisla-tion. About a month ago Kilcourse intro-Chief of Police. The resolutions recite that the constitution requires a man to have lived in the State one year before he can be an officer; that the Police Board has ignored the law; that it has named a Pinkerton man for Chief of Police, and that it treated the communications of organized labor with contempt, and that he board was chaperoned on its visit to Chicago by the manager of a corporation which has received a grant worth millions from the city and does not permit its employes to belong to unions.

ceived a grant worth millions from the city and does not permit its employes to belong to unions.

The last two sections read:
Resolved. That as the constitution and the anti-Pinkerton acts of 1889 were intended to keep such men as Vallins from acting as peace officers in this State; be it further
Resolved. That we call upon the Attorney General and Prosecuting Attorney to institute proceedings to test the right of Thomas N. Vallins to hold office of Chief of Police of this city.

A. M. SWANSON, President.
JAMES TEAGUE, Secretary.
Since this move against Vallins originates with organized labor it is vastly more significant than if backed by the politicians. Attorney Lowe has said that he will do nothing in the matter until the case is presented to him, but it is difficult to see how he can refuse to act when the union labor interests of the city are importuning him to make a test.

Sce. 3773 of the Revised Statutes of 1889, under the caption, "Sheriff to appoint none but clizens deputy," etc., says:

Hereafter no Sheriff in this State shall appoint any under Sheriff or deputy Sheriff except the person so appointed shall be, at the time of his appointment, a bona fide resident of the State.

The next section says the Police Commissioners shall be governed by the same restrictions as Sheriffs, and sec. 3776 of the same statute, under the heading. "Punishment for appointing any but citizens for police duty," provides that Sheriffs and Police Commissioners shall be imprisoned from three months to one year for violating the provisions of the articles cited above.

"RISING OF 1798."

### "RISING OF 1798."

Arrangements for American Participants in the Irish Celebration.

NEW YORK. April 14.-Advices from Dublin say that committees are already at twork in that city, Cork and Wexford, on the preliminaries for the reception and entertainment of the American delegations who are to visit Ireland next year to participate in the centennial celebration of the "Rising of 1798." So far there have been no indications that the Government will interfere in the proposed demonstrations, although the fact is recognized that, with the large majority at the beck and call of the administration, it might prohibit the centennial celebration and be assured of indorsement in the House of Commons. Nothing definite has yet been heard in Dublin from the United States concerning the organization of delegations from the principal States and cities, but it is thought that the terms the Irish committee has secured, namely, \$309 for each person for the round trip of thirty days from New York, including steamship and railroad fares, hotel bills and incidental expenses, should insure an immense delegation. According to the preliminary programme, the visitors will go from Queenstown to Cork and thence to Dublin, spending four days at each place and rounding up at Wexford, where the centennial ceremonies will be held on the site of the battlefields of the insurrection, and a monument erected to the memory of the heroic dead. work in that city, Cork and Wexford, on

Troublesome English Boundary Ques

tion Under Consideration. MEXICO CITY, April 14.-The Senate debating the treaty fixing the boundary of this country with the British colony of Belize. The treaty was negotiated between the Foreign Relations Minister, Mariscal, and the British Minister, Sir Spencer St. John, and was shelved in the Senate owing to the popular clamor against it, although the treaty was in no sense an abandonment of the Mexican territorial rights. There had always been strong sentiment here against England for occupying what is believed to be Mexican territory, but as time has gone on it has been seen that it was sound policy to adjust the pending boundary dispute and the treaty is now likely to be ratified. Business and financial interests favor the settlement of this question definitely as it is possible trouble with England in the future might result.

The lower House of Congress is debating a general extradition law, on which all future extradition treaties shall be based. The practice is not sufficiently uniform at present. the Foreign Relations Minister, Mariscal,

### MRS. GRANT'S BOOK.

It Will Deal With the Private Life of the General.

NEW YORK, April 14.-The widow of Gen. U. S. Grant has written a book. devoted to the private and personal life of her husband, and intended for the pleasure of their children. Regarding it she says:

says:

"I have been gradually getting it together for years. While it deals with the General's career as a soldier and statesman, of course, the reason that underlies everything else has been to enable my children to have that true insight into their father's character that I alone could give them. I have not yet decided anything about the title."

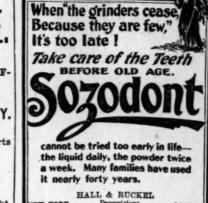
FULTON ASYLUM MANAGERS. The Institution Turned Over to Gov Stephens' Appointees.

FULTON, Mo., April 14.-The Board of lanagers of the State Lunatic Asylum No. 1 met, in the asylum and proceeded to turn met, in the asylum and proceeded to turn the institution over to the homeopathic doctors, as follows: Dr. J. T. Coombs of Kansas City, Superintendent; Dr. J. H. Hudson of Kansas City, First Assistant Physician; Dr. J. M. Wilcox of St. Louis, Second Assistant; Dr. W. L. Ray of Kansas City, Third Assistant. William F. Loyd, the present incumbent, was elected steward. W. D. Thomas, editor of the Fulion Sun, was elected Treasurer. Mrs. Ann Gordon was retained as matron. She has been matron for the past ten years.

he past ten years. Death of Maj. S. P. Meade.

Maj. S. P. Meade, aged 65, an ex-Confederate veteran, died at the City Hospital Tuesday from Bright's disease. He was found Tuesday morning unconscious in his room at 105 North Broadway.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup is



## SPANIARDS' WAR AGAINST WOMEN.

THEY CONTINUE TO INSULT AND MALTREAT THEM.

ORDERS FROM GEN. WEYLER. All Women Suspected of Sympathy

With the Revolution Will Be Prosecuted.

special to the Post-Dispatch. NEW YORK, April 14.-The Sun has the

following from Havana: Sixteen Cuba women from the town of san Francisco de Paula, in Havana Province, have been thrust into the House of Defention for Disreputable Women in Havana. They all belong to families of the highest respectability. On their way to the prison they were insulted by the soldiers, and one of them. Aurora Velez, who at-

prison they were insulted by the soldiers, and one of them, Aurora Velez, who attempted to protest, was knocked down by a blow with a rifle.

In Guanabucoa, women of prominent Cuban families have also been arrested on the charge of being abettors of the insurgents. The police enter houses after midnight and arrest the women without giving them time even to dress. Gen, Weyler has given orders to prosecute all women who are suspected of sympathy with the revolution, especially those who have relatives in the insurgent ranks.

Gen. Rey reports that his column had a successful engagement with an insurgent force near the village of Guamo, Santiago de Cuba. While the troops were returning to Cauto they were attacked by the insurgents, who had re-formed after their retreat. The insurgents were routed with heavy losses, many of their dead being left on the field. The Spanish loss was seven killed and twenty-six wounded.

Gen. Weyler ordered one or two battalions of troops to be sent to the vicinity of Turiguanas to capture Quinton Bandera, but the insurgents were found at Pitajones, where they were quickly dispersed, leaving upon the field eight dead, including Lleut, Gonzales. A diary kept by Bandera showed that that leader had only

### MELGUIZO, THE BUTCHER.

Forty Per Cent of the Rural Population Slain by His Soldiers.

NEW YORK, April 14.—The Journal's correspondent at Pinar del Rio City, Cuba, writes: The once fertile fields of Vuelto Abajo are desolate and the province is virtually depopulated. The capital and townscontiguous to the Western Railway, as well as coast ports garrisoned by Spanish troops, are overcrowded with starving refugees, men, women and children, for the relief of whom no funds are at the Government's disposal.

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Well informed persons here assure me that no less than 40 per cent of the rural population have fallen victims of Gen. Meljgulzo's forces. Pacificos were killed without mercy under special instructions, from Weyler, and a hundred instances might be mentioned where neither women nor children were spared.

When Melgulzo raided Cuevas de Sabalo he had 280 unarmed pacificos shot as suspects. In Vinale, 17 others were bound and macheted. Upon the outskirts of Guane, a British traveler was shown a ditch into which he was told that 40 negro women and children, killed by Melgulzo's command, had been thrown.

mixer he is a hustier among the boys, and there is no doubt that he has become personally acquainted with as many voters in the district as any two of the other candidates. Mr. Schenk is engaging the bands of music over the district to play "Democratic and farmer" music for him on the primary day. He has also arranged and hired wagons in all the principal towns to haul his banner and advertisements around, beginning three days before the primary. Mr. Schenk says it is the height of his ambition to be elected a member of Congress, and then, after he serves one or two terms, he says he will run and expects to go to the United States Senate.

Hon. Lewis F. Cottey is the oldest man and politician in the race. He ran for the nomination two years ago, and entered the canvass again soon after Mr. Glies died. He served in the State Senate in 1881-1883. He is a man of ability and a lawyer of prominence.

After the nomination an effort will be

### SPAIN WOULD COMPROMISE. How McKinley's Offer of Mediation

Has Been Received. MADRID, April 14.-Political and diplomatic circles are animatedly discussing the an active exchange of confidential and unofficial communications between the United
States and the Spanish Government since
McKinley and Sherman took office.
A majority of Spaniards nowadays believe
more in the efficacy of the political diplomatic action embodied in colonial reforms
and in friendly understanding with the
American Government than in purely mili-

tary action to achieve the pacification of Cuba. The autonomist party is said to be actively canvassing the separatists in the colony, with a view to inducing them to submit.

HAVANA, Cuba, April 14.—It is true that President McKinley recently communicated with Premier Canovas of Spain, offering the friendly mediation of the United States in Cuban affairs. The Havana press contains copious comments on the offer of the American Government, generally in approval thereof.

### Cubans Cut to Pieces.

HAVANA, April 14.—A Cuban guerrilla force in the Gobernadoro Hills, consisting of 112 men under the leadership of one of the Nunez brothers, was cut to pieces there Saturday afternoon by a Spanish force of 300 men, under command of Col. Melraz.

CANDIDATE FOR POPE.

### The Ambition of Satolli, According to a New York Newspaper.

NEW YORK, April 14.-A cable to Journal from Rome says:

A meeting of cardinals, convened by Mgr.
Satolli, has just been held here. Its object is unknown, but it is common knowledge that Satolli wishes to be a candidate for the Papal chair when it is vacant.

Leo's health is seriously weakening.

### Salisbury and Rosebery.

LONDON, April 14.—Truth says: "It is loubtful if Lord Salisbury's health will bermit him to retain the posts of Premier and Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs.

### Victoria's \$7,000 Harness.

LONDON, April 14—A leather firm in the Strand has secured the order for the harness to be worn by the six cream Flemish horses that are to draw the Queen's carriage in the procession to St. Paul's sene and fired and the body partly concarriage in the procession to St. Paul's ene and fired and the body partly concarriage in the procession to St. Paul's ene and fired and the body partly concarriage in the procession to St. Paul's ene and fired and the body partly concarriage in the procession to St. Paul's ene and fired and the body partly concarriage in the procession to St. Paul's ene and fired and the body partly concarriage in the procession to St. Paul's ene and fired and the body partly concarriage in the procession to St. Paul's ene and fired and the body partly concarriage in the procession to St. Paul's ene and fired and the body partly concarriage in the procession to St. Paul's ene and fired and the body partly concarriage in the procession to St. Paul's ene and fired and the body partly concarriage in the procession to St. Paul's ene and fired and the body partly concarriage in the procession to St. Paul's ene and fired and the body partly concarriage in the procession to St. Paul's ene and fired and the body partly concarriage in the procession to St. Paul's ene and fired and the body partly concarriage in the procession to St. Paul's ene and fired and the body partly concarriage in the procession to St. Paul's ene and fired and the body partly concarriage in the procession to St. Paul's ene and fired and the body partly concarriage in the procession to St. Paul's ene and fired and the body partly concarriage in the procession to St. Paul's ene and fired and the body partly concarriage in the procession to St. Paul's ene and fired and the body partly concarriage in the procession to St. Paul's ene and fired and the body partly concarriage in the procession to St. Paul's ene and fired and the body partly concarriage in the procession to St. Paul's ene and fired and the body partly concarriage in the p



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Primaries on Saturday.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

MACON, Mo., April 14.—The general Dem

ocratic primary election to nominate a can-didate for Congress will be held in this, the

First District, Saturday, April 17. The special election in this district, to elect a Con-

gressman to fill the vacancy occasioned by the death of Hon. Richard P. Giles, Demo-crat, will be held June 1. The counties in the

County is entitled to the ning of air. Glies' shoes.

Hon. David Schenk, "the farmer candidate," is the wealthiest man in the race. Stump speaking is not his forte, but as mixer he is a hustler among the boys, and there is no doubt that he has become perturbed with as many voters if

MURDER AND ARSON.

Woman Killed and House Burned

Down Over Her.

Big Insurance Conspiracy.

is entitled to the filling of Mr

HAVE HAD THEIR 1896 ASSESS. MENT TRIMMED DOWN.

TO SUCCEED HON. R. P. GILES. TRIED TO CUT IT IN HALF. Richmond, Fogle, Lloyd, Cottey and Exposure of a Tricky Attempt to De-Schenk Will Go Before the ceive the Public With a Bogus

> Story of Increase. Assessments on street railroads this year are greatly in excess of the valuations sworn to by the officers of the various roads, with reference to their tracks and

> personal property.
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> A comparison of the assessments this year with those of 1896 shows a decrease on almost every road that was assessed. There was a slight increase in the assessments or three roads, but the decrease on the others makes the total on all considerably less than

for 1896.

for 1896.

Several of the street railway companies, according to Assessor Frederick, are complaining that their assessments for 1897 are exorbitant. The figures for 1896 show there is no room for complaint.

The total assessments in 1896 on all street railroad property except real estate was 34,386,363. The total for 1897 is 44,774,990.

Since the 1896 assessment the Jefferson avenue line has been converted into an electric road.

In the Sunday Post-Dispath a comparison was given between the figures for 1896 and those for 1897. The result was an excellent showing for the Board of Equalization which adjourned sine die last Saturday, An effort was made by a Post-Dispatch reporter to obtain the assessment for 1896 at Assessor Frederick's office. They were not at hand and were secured from another source.

According to the figures the Missourl

the death of Hon. Richard P. Giles, Democrat, will be held June 1. The counties in the
First District are Adair, Clarke, Knox,
Lewis, Macon, Marion, Putnam, Schuyler,
Scotland and Shelby, Mr. Giles' plurality
in November over Maj. Charles N. Clark,
Republican, was 4,700. The Congressional
Committee has estimated the expenses of
the primary in the, ten counties at
from \$1,200 to \$1,400, and has divided the same equally, to be paid by the
candidates in the race having their names
printed on the primary tickets. The candidates remaining in the race and having
compiled with the requirements of the
committee are Hon. M. Richmond of Macon,
Hon. Christopher C. Fogle of Schuyler,
Hon. James T. Floyd of Shelby, Hon. Lewis
F. Cottey of Knox and Hon. David Schenk
of Scotland.
Hon. Edgar M. Richmond, president of the
Macon Bryan and Sewall Club, is 32 years
old, and he holds a commanding position
among distinguished men. In oratory and
as a campaigner he is the champion in the
race, and in eloquence and appearance it
has been said that he resembles Hon. Wm.
J. Bryan.
Hon. C. C. Fogle has served his county as
Prosecuting Attorney, and three terms as
Representative. He is an aggressive and effective campaign stump speaker.
Hon. James T. Lloyd has been Prosecuting
Attorney, and is an attorney who has had
considerable practice outside of his home
county, and his local friends are pushing
him all the harder because they say Shelby
County is entitled to the filling of Mr.
Giles' shoes. source.

According to the figures the Missouri Railroad Co. was assessed at \$50,900 on tracks and personal property in 1896. During the sittings of the Board of Equalization of 1897, the officers of the company swore to a valuation of 2898,590. The board assessed the company at 4485,690. This was an increase of \$97,500 over the sworn valuation, but fell \$44,840 short of the assessment.

The assessment for 1896 on the St. Louis

Representative W. S. Pope of Jefferson City is

The assessment for 1896 on the St. Louis Railroad Co. was \$668,333. It returned a valuation of \$370,180 in 1897. The 1897 assessment is \$528,120, which is \$157,940 in excess of the sworn valuation, but \$40,213 less than the assessment last year.

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In 1896 the assessment on the Cass Avenue & Fair Grounds Railroad Co., including the Cass avenue, Northern Central, Union and Citizens' lines, was \$831,940, its returned valuation this year was \$674,160 and assessment \$743,9360, an increase of \$75,200 over the return, and a decrease of \$132,580 from the 1896 assessment.

The People's Railroad Co.'s assessment for 1897 shows an increase of \$4,100 over that for 1896. It was \$122,400 in 1896 and \$126,500 in 1896. It was \$122,400 in 1896 and \$126,500 in 1896. Its return in 1897 was \$117,000, a decrease of \$5,400 from the assessment of 1896. There was an increase of \$348,700 over the 1897 return of the Union Depot Co. in its assessment of \$993,335, but even this was but \$27,955 in excess of the \$965,385 assessment of 1896. These figures include the Grand avenue line.

The Lindell Railroad. including all divisions, was \$825,780 in 1896. This year's assessment is \$78,650, an increase of but \$42,570. The returned valuation this year was but \$576,470.

The 1896 assessment on the St. Louis & Suburban was \$183,590. This year it is \$187,690, which is \$25,870 less than last year and an increase of \$19,380 over the valuation sworn to by the company's officers.

The Southern Electric paid taxes on an assessed valuation of \$25,840 for 1896. This year it is assessment the page of the

PASCOAGA, R. I., April 14.-The house o Edward Reynolds, at Oakland, a farming village a few miles from here, was burned this morning, together with all the outbuildngs. It is thought that it is a case of murings. It is thought that it is a case of murder and arson.

Mrs. Reynolds' body, mutilated and bloodstained, was taken from her bed by those
who discovered the fire. They found bloodstains and what are believed to be traces of
kerosene about the room. They were prevented from making a thorough search of
the premises by the heat and smoke. A 29year-old daughter of Reynolds, Reynolds
himself and Martin Morey, who boarded
with the family, were missing. Morey was
afterward found hiding in a barn near
Harrisville and arrested.

The buildings were totally destroyed, entailing a loss of about \$2,000.

PITTSBURG. Pa., April 14.—A big insurance conspiracy has been unearthed here and C. Linford Woods is under arrest. He is charged with insuring a large number of decrepit old men to the extent of 3400,000 in various companies. He advertised employment for old men and when he would get them to call by a trick he got them to sign policies in favor of himself. He has written a confession.

### VISITORS IN THE CITY.

Latest Styles,

All Colors,

J. B. Pope of Nashville is at the Lindell.
R. A. Young of Chicago is at the Southern.
C. G. Burton of Nevada is at the Planters'.
L. D. Early of Fulton is at the St. James.
A. M. Dupay of New York is at the Lindell.
W. B. Levitt of New York is at the Lindell.
E. A. Adams of Chicago is at the Southern.
A. Stuart of Reading, Pa., is at the Southern.
H. S. Folker of Baltimore is at the Southern.
W. C. Calkins of Galesburg is at the Planters',
J. M. Johnson of Monroe City is at the Laclede.
S. S. Jerome of Kansas City is at the Planters'

S. S. Jerome of Kansas City is at the Plan

W. C. McPike, a prominent wholesale druggist of Atchison, Kan., is at the Laclede.

at the Laciede. Mr. Pope distinguished himself at the recent session of the Legislature as Chairman of the Kansas City police investigating commit tee. He was also the author of a bill to render more stringent the regulations governing the free pass system, but the bill was killed.

### CATARRH OF THE STOMACH.

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Catarrh of the stomach has long been considered the next thing to incurable. The usual symptoms are a full or bloating sensation after eating, accompanied ometimes with sour or watery risings, a formation of gases, causing pressure on the heart and lungs and difficult breathing, headaches, fickle appetite, nervous-ness and a general played out, languid feeling.

There is often a foul faste in the mouth,

coated tongue, and if the interior of the stomach could be seen it would show a slimy, inflamed condition.

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trouble is found in a treatment which causes the food to be readily, thoroughly digested before it has time to ferment and irritate the delicate mucous surfaces of the stomach. To secure a prompt and

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MATINEES TO-MORROW. HAVLIN'S-"A Railroad Ticket." STANDARD-Sharkey Vaudeville Co. HOPKINS'-Contin HAGAN-Continuous.

### A GREAT NAME SULLIED.

Corporation attorney Lehman, at Tuesday night's banquet of the Three Tailors as a retailer of fine phrases. He insulted the memory of Thomas Jefferson by firmly convinced that the people have claiming that the only true Jeffersonians gone astray and can be "brought back." of our day are the corporation attorneys. They are joined to their idols. The only who are doing their best to intrench in way to show them that the Democratic the law and in the courts those great party has advanced and left them in the combinations of capital which Jefferson looked upon with abhorrence, and to victories with a tidal wave in the Constrengthen the grip of the banks, which Jefferson regarded as the greatest men-

If Jefferson could revisit the glimpses of the moon and hear the sinister sophistries put forth in his name, his tisans of a party just victorious at one red hair would rise erect on his head, national election set about the raising of and though he was at all times a man a million dollar campaign fund for anof peace, he would find it difficult to restrain the oscillations of his right boot towards the corporation attorneys who desecrate his memory in order to enhance the gold party from defeat last year. It their value to their employers.

VALUE OF PUBLIC FRANCHISES. know that the country did repudiate that A scheme is said to be on .oot to apply party, and that money, used for the corto the city for a franchise to construct a street railway in North St. Louis. Of people of their victory. Mark Hanna course nothing was said in the announce- who is prominent in the movement, has ment about compensation to the city for good reason, doubtless, to know the power the privilege. Municipal franchises are of money in forcing upon a country a seually asked for in St. Louis without policy it does not want, and which is op-

any suggestion of compensation. Over in Paris, as the Post-Dispatch has | But a game which can be played once heretofore pointed out, they do these with success is often dangerous to play things differently. The city of Paris has a second time. If such hard times as now just made an agreement with a street prevail are to continue until the next elecllway company, allowing the company tion, and the people, having condemned to build 45 miles of railway through the the policy responsible for depression, streets. To obtain this privilege, the should find themselves counted out in company contracted that fares should the polls, a short fat man in a check suit range from 2 to 4 cents. At the end of would suddenly lose either his nerve or 35 years the city is to come into posses- something more precious to him. n of the entire property without paying

The lighting companies in St. Louis can. The recipe is simple and easily enough profit out of lighting the streets to make it worth their while to bid for contract. The streets and public buildings of Paris are lighted with gas at cost, and in ten years the lighting companies there have paid the city \$40,-600,000 for the privilege of furnishing the citizens with gas.

Have the citizens of St. Louis less business sense than the citizens of Paris? It is evident that the local lighting combine

### THE ELECTION OF SENATORS.

Less than a year ago the Globe-Demo erat was denouncing the proposition for the popular election of United States Benators. Now it is convinced that such elections would correct many of the evils of the caucus system. Even the Globe-

But it is amusing to note how anxious to save what it doubtless considers its characterized as a gigantic trust. The consistency and dignity, the Globe-Demanti-trust wave is reaching every part perat is when it announces its change of of the country.

The Senatorial scandals in Kentucky and the other States which have had long and protest against goldbug observance of diagraceful deadlocks recently are doing his birthday, but there are many thousands of Jeffersonian Democrats who are more to form a public sentiment which will force a change to the popular vote plan of electing Senators than all the arguments originally advanced by the advocates of this plan could accomplish. Those arguments, indeed, had very little weight, and some of them were absurd. The recent discretizable and demoralising wrangles, how-

ever, furnish reasons for a change of elecmethods which are obvious and urgent. All the argument that has ever been

made against the caucus system is that it affords opportunities for bribery, trading, combination and other methods resulting in the selection of men without merit or fitness, and who could not possibly hope for preferment outside a caucus. That has been the sum and substance of the argument against the caucus. Such men as Brice and Addicks have served as examples of conditions which are now only finding additional illustration in Kentucky. The Kentucky situation is not a new argument against the caucus election of Senators. It is simply the old, old argument over again.

FAVORED CORPORATIONS.

parative assessments of 1897 and 1896.

to praise for a large increase in street

railway assessments, they actually re-

duced the assessments for 1897 \$111,973

The assessment for 1896 was far below

the real assessable value of the property at that time. Nobody pretends that the

value of the street rallways of St. Louis

has decreased since 1896. On the con-

trary, it has increased. The number of

Why were the assessments for 1897 less

STILL TRAITORS.

The action of the so-called gold Demo

fact that the New York State Committee

National Democratic Party are sending circulars all over the country claiming

that "Thomas Jefferson Demonetized Sil-

ver." and the banquets held on Jefferson's

birthday by the Boltocrats, prove that this group of the Hanna camp follow-

ers of last year's campaign are still trait-

If anything were needed to convince

Democrats that this element is radically

opposed to true Democracy, the Bolto

rat banquet in St. Louis Tuesday night

should suffice. The Globe-Democrat and

Republic united in giving that banquet

more prominence in their Wednesday is-

sues than any other news of the day, al-

though the banquetters represented but

473 votes in a total of over 124,000. The Re-

rear is to follow up the recent Democratic

A RECIPE FOR REPUBLICANS.

in this or any other country did the par-

Such action is practical confession that

the power of money was all that saved

is entirely possible that some of the men engaged in this barefaced enterprise

posed to its interest and prosperity.

Money cannot carry another election

for the Republicans. Only one thing

Real estate licenses have been greatly

reduced and the grain commission mer-

chants are now asking for a reduction.

The gold standard presses heavily upon

business. The appreciated dollar is ruinous. All prices must fall. Doubtless all

The late Senator Voorhees is quoted as

ate: "I have been in public life since

1861, thirty-six years, and all the money

I have is in my pocket this morning. I don't know what I am going to do."

What a contrast is this to thrifty states-

The Connecticut House has passed a

ompanies a misdemeanor. In the debate

Thomas Jefferson is dead and cannot

bill making a combination of insurance

salaries will have to come down.

men like Senator Sherman.

Never before in the history of politics

gressional campaign next year.

other election four years off.

should take note of this.

that they alone "are the people."

n the increased value of the stock.

below those for 1896.

than those for 1896?

The Democrats of St. Louis will remain out of power for a long time before they The Globe-Democrat surrenders to the will follow Col. Ed Butler. They recogold argument in the old familiar shape. It nize his usefulness to the Republican or might as well acknowledge what is an ganization, and he may continue to aid the enemy if he chooses to do so.

The Illinoisans who failed to catch the airship when it descended for repairs are In Sunday's Post-Dispatch some figures were given which seemed to indicate in danger of having their veracity that the city Board of Equalization had largely increased the assessment on doubted. If they could have seized the thing and held it they would have had

mills have a lobby on the floor of the United States Senate. Does the Reporter

suppose it can surprise anybody by that

While the office-seekers are waiting

they might interest themselves in the

following declaration of the platform

upon which McKinley was elected: "If the Republican party of this country is

pledged to any one thing more than an-

other it is to the maintenance of the civil

service law and its efficient execution;

not only that, but to its enlargement and

further application to the public service."

kind of news? Doesn't everybody know

the game of '96?

street railroad property. The comparian excellent witness. son, however, was between the figures of 1897 and 1895. Elsewhere in this issue Europe is buying more and more American horses, Great Britain being our best customer. With Mr. McKinley riding his the figures are printed showing the comtariff hobby, however, any European These figures show that instead of Gen. Turner and his associates being entitled market may be cut off from us.

The scheme of Uncles Filley and Ziegenhein is a government by Central Committeemen. How can Mr. McKinley onger fail to appreciate Uncle Filley's ingenuity and success?

The poor condition of the wheat crop n Missouri and Illinois ought to have considerable effect on wheat prices. But the price of wheat is not fixed on the farm.

passengers carried has enormously in-creased; the cost of carrying them has de-With a city circulation more than reased, and these conditions are reflected double that of any of its local contemporaries, the Post-Dispatch can give advertisers the full value of their money.

"Warmer weather and sunshine are badly needed," says the Missouri crop report. The State Bureau lacks no witerats in the Kentucky Legislature, the nesses to testify to this condition. and other organizations of the so-called The wool grabbers are threatening Mc-

> may lose several States in the course of its senseless tariff tinkering. The ships of Columbus created little ess excitement among the Indians than

Kinley with the loss of Ohio. His party

among later Americans. ors. While attempting to regain control of the Democratic party, they are openly The Three Tailors of Tooley Street met engaged in an effort to destroy it. They again at the Southern Hotel last night, are still unanimously asserting that the and again resolved that they are the 6,500,000 Democratic voters are wrong and people of England.

> The story of a farm mortgage has ended in a tragedy at one of our hospitals. There are many sad stories that go with the farm mortgage.

Greater New York having become a ertainty, there is nothing for Chicago to people." do but to take in another big area of corn ground.

Whoever is to be Senator from Kenpublican organ and the Wall Street organ work in harmony on all occasions of tucky, the Democrats of that State this kind. Readers who still think the should see that he is not a Democratic Republic is a Democratic newspaper deserter. "Give the people safe banks," says the 1809.

This continued and open display of Chicago Record. The people of all cities treason by the Boltocrats ought to put a will find them if they will come to St. stop to all efforts at so-called harmony Water consumers are paying a very

high price for an article now everywhere so plentiful-that is to say, mud. Spain and Turkey are twin butchers. They should both go out of business with

the passing of the old century. The Board of Health has condemned a

of comfort for the vanquished in the spring elections.

Mr. McKinley seems to think routers are more heavenly than any other Perhaps Japan has been emboldened

by reports of our armor plate blow holes. The airship as photographed in Chicago

ruption of election officers, cheated the looks "very like a whale." The spring elections have been Jeffer

### Reflections of a Bachelor.

From the New York Press. A woman always has a tender feeling for a man who says she isn't looking well and

When a baby cries in a street car, if a woman is carrying it, all the women around look mad; if a man has it, they look sorry and sympathizing. One difference between a woman and a dog is that the woman takes the most care

of her sickliest child, while the dog takes the most care of the best puppy. If a man succeeded in inventing a success ful flying machine, probably he wouldn't feel half as proud as he did when he was a boy and first discovered that he could

### whistle through his teeth. Surprised Defaulters.

From the New York Journal. The announcement that the defaulting bank officials out in Chicago are to be pros ecuted is rather surprising to them. They were under the impression that the hard work they performed last year for the license payers will expect reductions. And preservation of the nation's credit would give them immunity from petty litigation of saying, on his retirement from the Senthis nature.

### The Next Convention.

From the Washington Post. The St. Louis Democrats will have to d powerful amount of explaining when they ask the Democrats to hold their national nvention in that town in 1900.

### THREE KISSES.

rom an Old Scrap-Book.
The purest kiss
In the world is this—
The kiss that a mother lays
On her child's fresh lips
As he blithely trips
To meet the world and its ways.

The sweetest kiss
In the world is this—
The first long kiss of love,
When time is not,
And earth's forgot,
And Eden drops from above

The saddest kiss.

In the world is this—
The kiss on unanswering clay,
When dead lips tell
We must sob farewell
Till the dawn of the judgment day.

IN THE PUBLIC EYE.



WILLIAM HARDING. This is a picture of the oldest living mem ber of the G. A. R. His home is near Wauseca, Wis., and he was 100 years old last Friday.

### MEN OF MARK.

The statue of Thomas Hughes, to be rected at Rugby, will be life-size, of Sicilian narble, on a granite pedestal, and will cost 1,000, all of which has been subscribed.

Mr. Bayard's son-in-law, Lieutenant-Comnander W. S. Cowles, naval attache to the United States Embassy, is said to have been for some years the most popular man in London diplomatic circles, and his depar-

ure is greatly deplored. "Uncle Joe" Cannon is as fond of his biycle as a boy in his teens, and there is no other one of all the congressional cyclists who is so expert on the wheel as the veteran member from Illinois. "Uncle Joe" wouldn't miss riding to and from the Capitol on his wheel on bright days for a good deal.

James Robinson, the famous bareback rider, who began his career in 1845, is still living in Mexico, Mo., with his wife. The feat which won him fame was performed n 1849. This was turning a back somersault while riding backward on a running horse. He did the same trick afterward before half the sovereigns of Europe, and won especial the mysterious airship has brought about praise for his daring from the Queen of En-

> Wendell Phillips, like Mr. Moody, appreclated the power of newspaper publicity. Maj. Pond tells us that when he was interrupted and prevented from being heard once by an unfriendly audience he stooped down and began talking in a low voice to the men at the reporters' table. Some of the auditors, becoming curious, called "Louder." Whereupon Phillips straightened himself up and exclaimed: "Go right on, gentlemen, with your noise. Through these pencils"-pointing to the reporters-"I speak to 40,000,000

### WOMEN OF NOTE.

Nineteen years after the Patent Office was established in Washington the first patent was issued to a woman, Mary Kiles, who secured it for a method of weaving silk or thread with straw. This was in

Mrs. Emilie Jewell, aged 65, and Abel Lewis, 17, have just been married in Knott County, Ky. This is Mrs. Jewell's fifth matrimonial venture, and she is said to be the mother of thirty-one children, the youngest older than her husband.

Mrs. Lewis and Mrs. Gibson, the two widowed sisters of Cambridge, England, who fer the angry rumbling of a Democratic iscovered the Biblical manuscript on Mt. Sinai, are devout Presbyterians and have prostitution of the taxing power of Governjust given to the Presbyterian College, located at Bloomsbury, London, the sum of political party with all the sordid interests number of ponds. By and by it may \$250,000 for the purpose of moving the insti- which are in alliance to plunder the public

with flowing hair and a peculiarly infantile with flowing hair and a peculiarly infantile expression. It is told, as illustrating her little majesty's character that at a recent little majesty's character, that at a recent meeting of the Cabinet Council, she intermeeting of the Cabinet Council, she inter-rupted the proceedings by informing the Senate should resolve to let the Republicans a child and could not understand their ne-The Dutch stamps will in consequence be changed as soon as possible.

### SELECTED JOKES.

"Janet, look at our neebor's bairns enjoying themsel's on the Sabbath day! Go an' set the dog on their hens; the Lord must have venegance one way or anither."-Illus-

"The New Woman's Club will never hire Tenor, the singer, again." "Why so?"
"He was billed to sing four times at their annual dinner, and each time he warbled 'What Is Home Without a Mother?' "-New York Truth.

whose husband is still living. He is liable to make mistakes, and cause you to feel proud of yourself; but you can never hope to be as green a standard and the standard although compelled to live. to be as great as a dead rival.-Atchison of mind, although compelled to live on the

Easy (who thinks he knows the game): It requires a lot of study to learn how to play poker. Swift (raking in a pot): Yes: but then it is such a pleasure, you know, to meet a man who has thoroughly mastered the game.-Boston Transcript.

Your daughter is to receive a million from you if she marries with your consent? Moneybags: Yes, but what has that to do with it? Cholly Cheekly: Everything. You down for a whole lot less. onsent for her to marry me. She gives me the million and I give you half. See?-

LOCKS REPAIRED.



### The Party in the Tariff Trap.

From the New York Journal. The Republican party would like well to let go its hold on the tail of the tariff bear, but how that is to be done the party does not know. And it is not in human nature to be sorry for the party, which used to have moral ideas. How it got into its present plight is history; how it can free itself without suffering tremendous damage no

order to dodge the financial issue, the In order to douge the mancial issue, the leaders of the party determined upon the nomination of Maj. McKinley, the most conspicuous representative of the protective policy. The delegates to the National Conention were secured for him in the determination to offer battle to the Democracy once more on the tariff, the plain expecta-tion being that the masses could be per-suaded that "free trade," as represented by the hodge-podge Wilson law, was respon-sible for the hard times. The financial issue forced itself to the fore last year as it will again, in spite of all the efforts to keep it in the background, but the party was committed to McKinley, and in response to the needs of the situation he transformed himself into a champion of the gold standard. Once elected, however, President McKinley and his party returned to their original purpose. The finances were side-tracked, the tariff pushed into front place and the extra session of Congress called. The Republican organization in pursuing this course, was bedient to habit of thought, to tradition, to the profound instinct of the party of property and privilege. It being settled Republi can belief that the great majority of the American people harbored the delusions of protection, what more natural than that the party should hasten to frame the Dingley bill and strive to give the country mor protection than it ever had before? It is true that the Democratic adherents of the gold standard who deserted their party and elected McKinley were known to want no protective tariff, but they had served their turn at the polls, and were not to be con idered in comparison with the protection desiring Republican masses. The party was rue to itself when it ignored the wishes of the Democratic bolters and mugwumps.

A surprise has been given the Republicans that paralyzes them. The recent election have disclosed the astonishing fact that protection is no longer popular-that the nasses have been educated into understanding the fact that they are not to be made prosperous by Congress taxing what they consume, and that the prosperity of the people who monopolize money is the adversity of those who have only labor or labor's products to sell. More than that, the masses have awakened to the knowledge that no protective tariff can be framed except un der the orders of men and combination which have come to regard government merely as an agency for increasing their private profits by licensing them to take from the people that which by right should go into the public treasury. The masses have learned that protection, however artfully disguised, is an elaborate scheme of robbery nder which the poor are necessarily the sufferers. The masses have been taught by apoverishing experience that the device of enriching the employer on the theory that he will divide his tariff loot with his workmen is a plan for maintaining and increasing wages which does not work. Inspired by their later wisdom, the masses have con-demned the Dingley bill in advance. This anticipatory verdict is, incidentally a stunning reply to the retroactive provision of

the new tariff. The trusts and other combines and indiriduals with axes to grind that opened their ourses to Mr. Hanna for the election of McKinley, the preservation of the gold standard and the blessings of protection have had their way in the House of Repre-sentatives. The party of protection and special privileges carried the monstrou Dingley bill through that chamber with a rush and turned to the country for ap plause. It hears instead from every quar ground swell in protest against this patent

The Board of Health has condemned a number of ponds. By and by it may reach the filthy streets.

Pitiful little Rhode Island is a poor with the postage stamps of Holland Queen with the first the party should be dazed is but natural; that the Republican Senators with first the Solid of 12, with flowing hair and a peculiarly infantile should be in a quandary as to what should be in a quandary as to w and beat a retreat-is natural, too. But i find their own way out of their quandary The party of McKinley has walked de-liberately into the trap which was sprung upon it. On the one side are the trusts de manding that the Dingley bill shall become law, on the other are the people ardently resolved to punish the party if it shall continue in its allegiance to the trusts. When but half way through with its tariff

work the protection-drunk Republican party discovers that at last the people understand and that protection is played out,

### The Republic's Bogus News.

From the Caruthersville (Mo.) Democrat. Lying newspapers and reporters continue their work. Last Monday's Republic had the report of its second "relief" boat, say "At this point (Caruthersville) the second floors of their houses and on short rations, as food is getting scarce." A bigger lie was never published in any news-The man that sent in the report knew he was lying. The water has never been in the town proper. Nor would it have been had the river gone higher. No one has been compelled to live in the sec-Moneybags: You want me to engage in a speculation whereby I can make half a million. Explain the scheme. Cholly Cheekly: Ruler sent the Republic's first boat to the bottom. The only cause for regret is that He did not send the second and crews of

### Juvenile Logic. From the Indianapolis Journal.

Mrs. Gigg: What kept you so late? Tommy: Teacher kep' me in fer whisper-in'. I guess she was mad 'cause she didn' know what I was talkin' about. Women always wants to know everything. "EASY ALL!"

From the Pall Mall Gazette. "Basy all!" rings out the order,
And the muscles cease to strain.
And the swing of oars in rowlocks
Stops the rhythmical refrain.
And the sinking heart beats freely,
And the spent breath comes again.

"Easy all!" Oh, joyous mandate
To the strugglers of Life's flood,
Be it has a passing results.

Ginghams for Girls.



white linen are a pretty finish. The broad sailor collar is of white linen, with two bands of bright red linen as a border.

A small sailor hat worn with this costume is of rough red straw, with a band of white taffeta and two white mercury-like wings fastened at the left side that stand out from the crown. Red stockings and red ties complete this bright toilet. Decorative Hints.

Fireplace mantels of unglazed, ornamental rick are very popular for hall, library or lying room, particularly for the hall. Most of them are fitted with andirons for burn-

ing wood.

The latest way to hang curtains is to have a double rod with one-half of the curtain on each division of it. These cross each other to about six inches from each side, they are then tied back about two-thirds of the way up, much higher than formerly.

The high sideboard or buffet for the dining room has been relegated to obscurity, and low, broad ones, with the swelling front, are now considered very much better form.

### The Police Board Secretaryship Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

by your paper that a Country Demo xpects to be appointed Secretary to pard of Police Commissioners. Ar I see by your paper that a Country Democrat expects to be appointed Secretary to the Board of Police Commissioners. Are there no Democrats in St. Louis? Where are the 50,00 that voted for Bryan? Is this home rule? Why don't you raise your voice (or pen) against importing men from the country to fill positions in St. Louis? Are St. Louis Phemocrats not entitled to the few places left? The Missouri, or Country Democracy, does a great deal for us by filling positions that are entirely local. It is neither fair nor good politics.

A BRYAN DEMOCRAT.

St. Louis, April 12.

Ingersoll on "Truth."

To the Editar of the Post-Dispatch.

There is no doubt that Mr. Ingersoll believes truth is a great force, and that truth crushed to earth will rise again. I suppose fear that it would rise too suddenly is the reason he sat down on it last fall.

THOMAS GRIFFITH.

St. Louis, April 13.

### A Spiritual Mystery.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

At Howard Hall yesterday morning, spirit inspiring the lecturer said: "An the doctrines espoused by modern so is the doctrine of the conservation of energy claims that it is important to the state of th former was a my did he not show himself to he intellectual spirit inspiring Mr. Grim-haw?

St. Louis, April 12, 1897.

Playing Into the Enemy's Hands. the Editor of the Post-Dispat

### Poets Should Be Encouraged

the Editor of the Post-Disg

Parker House Rolls.

### Infants' Ills.

### THE DOCTOR'S ADVICE.

quently intense.

An olntment composed of equal parts of tar olntment and oxide of sinc olntment may be used with good effect. It should be ap-

Kindly advise a good remedy for ma-Warburg's tineture is a very good remedy. The dose for an adult is one dessertspoonful orning and evening.

Please inform me if phenacetine is good for rheumatism. The drug is sometimes used in combina-tion with salol in the treatment of muscular rheumatism. The dose for an adult is five rains of each drug every three hours.

Kindly suggest a good remedy for stom-ach and intestinal indigestion. Tablet of pure pepsin and pancreatine, each tablet containing two grains of the former and three grains of the latter, may be used with good effect. One tablet should be taken after each meal.

An emulsion usually contains about 50 per

I want to take quinine to get a tonic effect, will you tell me the best way? Tront, are now considered very much better Take it in powder form, a grain or two orm, a grain or two before eating.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

(The Post-Dispatch does not hold itself responsible for my opinions or statements of facts in these letters. It is a free parliament.)

A Christian Approves.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

Speaking from a Christian standpoint I write this to heartily congratulate you upon certain editorals in the Post-Dispatch which, in my mind, show that there is spiritual-mindedness somewhere in the Post-Dispatch which, in my mind, show that there is spiritual-mindedness somewhere in the Post-Dispatch camp.

Give the spirit a chance, Mr. Editor, and you may lay claim to the title which the Globe-Democrat assumed, but of which title it has proved itself unworthy.

St. Louis, April 13. A CHRISTIAN.

CELITIC-AMERICAN.

### The Motorman's Lot.

In your issue of Friday I read an article signed "J. P. D.," which was anything but enlightening. It appears as though "J. P. D." does not like the view that "Reader" expressed in Sunday's issue of your paper about the speed of one of our street car lines; and to make his remarks more weighty he introduces himself as a Southern motorman, and then immediately after he says: "A man that has any other ability would not accept a position as motorman." Now, I would like to read another article from the learned pen of the mighty "J. P. D." and let him tell just what, ability he possessed when he was a "motorman."

It is true that the life of a motorman is anything but pleasant, and that a great many of us would not, under ordinary circumstances, become one, but these are not ordinary times. The condition of the laboring man to-day is such that he cannot pick his position—he takes what he can get. If "J. P. D." has had any other issue of your paper than the one he mentioned ha knows that skilled mechanics are idle; he knows that the labor market in general is flooded; he knows, or should know, that this means great competition for employment. Now, if I am right, and this is the alboring man's condition to-day, it is not a question of how he will apply his "ability." In your issue of Friday I read an article igned "J. P. D.," which was anything but

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Well, we will keep our eyes on this "wave of prosperity," and when it comes (?) we will all have our carriages to take us to and from our business, and the poor motorman will be a thing of the past. But that would hardly do, for "J. P. D." would have the same opinion of the coachman. What next?"

St. Louis, April 8.

### ANSWERS TO CORRESPONDENTS

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VICTORY FOR RILEY GRANNAN.

The Young Kentucky Plunger Wins His Appealed Case in New York.

The action of the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court of the State of New York celebrated Riley Grannan case, reversing the lower court, is being received with considerable satisfaction among the greater portion of turf admirers and supporters all over the country. The case is so well known believing that Grannan was being perse making the odds in the betting ring, in any instances to the detriment of the track

in making the odds in the betting ring, in many instances to the detriment of the track operators.

The specific charge against Grannan was making a present to a jockey. For this he was barred from Westchester, and the association sought to make his blacklisting general and permanent. Grannan took the case to the courts, and after losing the first battle appealed to the Supreme Court, with the result as handed down Tuesday.

Justice Hatch in his very able written decision has created a precedent which will go far towards limiting the powers of racing associations, who have become arrogant in their abuse of self appropriated authority. The opinion of Justice Hatch is well worthy of perservation as a clear and luid document, and is in part as follows:

"All the race tracks in this country recognize the rules of the New York Jockey Club. Grannan bred horses and raced them on the turf, therefore it was necessary that he should have free access to the race courses. When business is not one of right, but is permitted by the State as a privilege or franchise, the property in such business is affected by a public interest. The transactions of the Westchester race course fall under this rule. Such associations take upon themselves a quasi-public function, in recognition of which they navment of a few Trees and provided on the public lupon the payment of a few Trees and payment of a fe take upon themselves a quasi-public function, in recognition of which they advertise and admit the public upon the payment of a fee. They have the power there to deny admission to a person threatening improper conduct, but no right to make such a refusal permanent or debar forever from a public privilege a person whose only offense is that it was once proper to do so. The association had officers and police. The rule of the Jockey Club under which Grannan was excluded was headed, 'Jockeya's betting,' and it provides when they may bet on races. Here is a governing body, acting under a statute which forbids betting, making a rule regulating a practice which law says is a felony.

"Mr. Keen deposes that the plaintiff has been a frequenter of race courses for a number of years past and has made a practice of betting heavily. The amounts wagered by him have been matters of public comment." This shows how the statute has been violated by racing associations.

"The rule under which Grannan was excluded is without force and utterly void. Its effect is to regulate an offense against the law. This is a case where equity will intervene and the order is reversed and the injunction continued."

A Defy to All 130-Pounders.

Another aspirant in the lighter division of glovemen has turned up in the person of L. Flynn of 2006 wash street. Mr. Flynn confesses an overpowering anxiety to meet in the squared circle any boxer in the city who weighs not more than 130 pounds, and for a stake of any proportion suitable to the party accepting this challenge. Mr. Flynn can be found at the address given above.

## FREE TO EVERY MAN.

THE METHOD OF A GREAT TREAT-MENT.

WHICH CURED HIM AFTER EVERY-THING ELSE FAILED.

nful diseases are bad enough, but when a is slowly wasting away with nervous weak-the mental forebodings are ten times worse the most severe pain. There is no let up to septal suffering day or night. Siese is almost sable, and under such a strain new let up to septal suffering day or night. Siese is almost sable, and under such a strain strain are the rolled and tossed on the troubled sea of it weakness until it was a question whether do not better take a does of poison and thus all his troubles. But providential impiration to his aid is the shape of a combination of cheek that not only completely restored the slabshib, but enlarged his weak, emaciated to natural size and vigor, and he can consider the state and waster the country of the state and waster the weak that any man who will take the trouble to his name and address may have the much of the secure of every weakened man to get the benefit of my issue, not a philanthropist, and de I pose and any out how I can afford to pay the few tamps necessary to mail the information, for it and learn that there are a few earth that although they cest nothing to are worth a fortune to some men and feitime of he fortune to some men and

## ALL CLUBS NOW AGAINST NEW YORK.

FREEDMAN'S STAND IN THE RUSIE CASE MAKES TROUBLE.

MOGULS TRY TO WIN HIM OVER.

They Will Go Ahead and Attempt to Settle Matters Without the Gotham Club's Consent.

The baseball magnates are still engaged n trying to smooth out the Rusie tangle. The meeting in New York Tuesday con ted nothing toward the end desired, and at 11 o'clock Wednesday morning the big men gathered at the Fifth Avenue Hotel to try again.

make no concessions in spite of the con-certed plea of the other delegates. Every possible argument has been turned on him, and the situation has resolved itself into a erious one. The New York club is practically standing out against its eleven fel ow clubs, and the obstinate attitude of its President may result in an unprecedented move in the history of base ball. The move ment is nothing more nor less than to en-gineer things without New York's voice in the matter so as to bring Rusie back into the game before the opening of the season on April 22.

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There is an impression that Freedman is doing the bull-headed act to gain notoriety, as well as to gratify the feeling which he is known to harbor against one or two West-ern presidents. The New Yorker has never been accused of being a popular man among the powers of base ball affairs, and his stand for principle is not appreciated as it might be if it were made by another. It cannot be denied that the base ball moguls are not anxious for any further litigation over the reserve clause. There are too many chances that the bottom would be knocked out of it if the courts took a hand, and then the players would have everything their own way. No matter what may be said against the legality of the reserve clause it is a good thing for base ball, and Jim Hart of Chicago is right in his argument for it.

"This talk of siving up the clause," said Mr. Hart recently, "is absurd. What would the National League be without such a system? It is in the interest of smaller clubs that the scheme was tried. Suppose the clause was done away with, would not the moneyed clubs be in a position to buy up all the best players? The abolition of the reserve clause would be disastrous to everybody connected with the National League, manager as well as player."

But to return to Rusie's case.

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But to return to Rusie's case. Every elegate to the New York meeting has signified his willingness to do the square thing in hopes of an adjustment. An informal roposal was made to Mr. Freedman that he club in the League would bear its roportion of the expense in bringing Rusie ack into a New York uniform. The prosal was rejected, and when the arguments in favor of it that were fired at reedman grew full of ginger, the New ork President grabbed his hat and jumped to session.

York President grabbed his hat and jumped the session.

The result of the meeting Wednesday morning will be breathlessly awaited by every ball enthusiast in the country. The delegates are not only anxious to have the matter settled, but Freedman's talk of "standing for principle" has aroused a sense of principle in them and they will go to any extent now to show that one man can't those the entire league. As President Byrne of the Brooklyns happily expresses it:

"Now, the question comes to a point where we must decide whether one member of a company of 12 is to override the wishes of the majority. We have been 25 years building up and perfecting this game of base ball and we cannot permit a modern Samson to pull the structure down on our heads. We are in the position of 12 men in a boat in midstream when one begins to took the boat to the imminent danger of upsetting the craft. Naturally we should say to that man: 'Ceare endangering us, or to protect ourselves we shall throw you oversion?'

It is understood that it will take some

board.""
It is understood that it will take some \$8,000 to put Rusie in the game, \$5,000 being for the counsel fees of Smith & Hawkins, the Indianapolis lawyers, and \$3,000 for the player's salary for 1896.

The Browns had everything easy in the exhibition game at Cairo, Ill., Tuesday. They won by a score of 17 to 0. They made two errors and only twenty-one hits. Donahue and Esper did the pitching for St. Louis and Clifford and Douglas were tried behind the plate. The Browns will play in Cairo Wednesday afternoon and return home in time to play the "Faultless Tallors" nine at New Sportsman's Park Thursday afternoon. The tallors are considered one of the strongest semi-professional teams in St. Louis county, and will be acceptable as a means of practicing the Browns, and giving them plenty to do.

Friday, Saturday and Sunday will see Charlie Comiskey's St. Paul nine the Browns' opponents. It has been some years since the only Comiskey played in St. Louis and the old guard will doubtless turn out to greet him.

BOOKIES GET A SCORCHING. Sure Thing People Get the Benefit of a Withheld Result.

The pool-rooms received a drubbing Tues-day afternoon by a few "wise" people who managed to get hold of the right kind of information just in time to get down on a to 1 shot. The horses in the last race a Newport were sent away at 5:39 o'clock, but

Newport were sent away at 5:39 clock, but the local rooms did not get the "off" call until 5:42. In the meantime the race had been run and some one on the inside made good use of the information.

The smaller books did not suffer much, as the proprietors were not game enough to take the money, but the larger establishments, where a big bet is taken as readily as a small one, were badly scorched.

It is not known where or how the information was withheld long enough for the sure thing people to get aboard.

BILL CLARK AND SHANNON.

The Old Man Consents to a Go With the Hod Carrier.

Prof. Bill Clark went to the Standard Theater (Tuesday night to witness the heavyweight exhibition between Tom Sharkey able seaman, and Jake Holtman, probably thq best of the local men. Mike Shannon, with whom the professor a short time since sustained second place in a digitorial argument, was also present.

Shannon expressed a desire for a friendly contest for points, to take place Wednesday night on the Standard stage, and the professor, accommodating gentleman that he is, acquiesced. The affair will attract considerable attendance, as the "Belfast Chicken" has not lost all his cleverness and, although heavily handicapped by age, will no doubt make his younger opponent go to the extreme of his ability to score on the old man. the best of the local men. Mike Shannon

BELLEVILLE CLERKS DISBAND. Many of the Players Engaged for the Diels' Strong Team.

The Belleville Clerks, who for the last six years were amateur champions in and around St. Louis, will not be reorganized for the coming season according to their late manager. Mr. O. A. Krebs. Most of the Clerks have been secured by Manager Charley Wilson of the 'Diels,' which will make his team one of the strongest amateur nines in the city. Paul McSweeney, who captained the Clerks last season will fill the same position with the Diels. They will play the Browns an exhibition game next Tuesday. Manager Wilson has a number of games booked with the various out of town clubs and his men can be counted on to give a good account of themselves. The following will compose the Diels for the coming season:

McSweeney and Quinn, catchers; Feehan, Gallagher and Bauer, pitchers; Fairbach, first base; Erman, second base; Granville, third base; Kane, short stop; Rodgers, left field; Scheller, center field; Comfor', right around St. Louis, will not be reorganized

field. For games address C. A. Wilson, 3 North Broadway. A "BIKE" FOR EACH FOOT.

Frenchmen Hit on a Novel Scheme for the Pleasures of Wheeling.

An ingenious and practical machine now manufactured, which is a combination of the bicycle and the roller skate. The is very much like a miniature bicycle. A bleycle skate consists of a steel plat-form connected by a system of forks, with two wheels about six inches in diameter, one in front of the foot and the other be-hind.

hind.

The foot of the skater is about two inches from the ground, says the New York Journal. The wheels being at the extremities of the platform the base on which the two feet rests is very long, and the point of support is made as strong as

be thrown forward which he came obstacles.

The wheels are fitted with ball bearing and tires of hollow rubber. Pneumatic tire have been discarded as not strong enough The movements necessary in using these machines differ very little from skating or



ice and the exercises are practically iden-tical with roller skating. The skater must turn his feet out, hold his body straight and lean his weight alternately on each foot. To slacken speed in going down a hill it is only necessary to turn the feet in as one does on the ice.

The bicycles skates were invented in En-gland and have already been used extensive-ly in that country and in France. A pro-ficient rider can easily travel from ten to fifteen miles an hour.

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It is claimed for the skates that they give the rider the advantages of bicycle riding and walking at the same time. With them a man can go as fast as he would on a bicycle when riding for pleasure. When he comes to a place where a bicycle could not go be can take off his skates and carry them with him. Thus he may climb a mountain, get over a fence or walk in a wood without inconvenience when out with his skates. As they are easily portable, he runs less danger of having them stolen than does the bicyclist with his machine. They are also less expensive.

Sporting Notes.

The Louisvilles were walloped at Evans-ville, Ind., yesterday. Evansville is in the new Central League, of which Cairo, where the Browns play Wednesday, is a member. Sockalexis, the Indian with the Cleve-lands, never saw the wild West. To all in-tents and purposes he is a down-East Yan-kee, and is moreover a very fluent, agree-able talker, the characteristic reticence of his race being entirely obliterated in his case.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Pittsburg with which the Browns will

case.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Pittsburg, with which the Browns will open the regular season a week from Thursday, had a narrow escape in an exhibition game Tuesday with the Newcastle, Pa., team. The Pirates won by a score of 3 to 1, after the visiting pitcher gave two runs by a balk.

a balk.

Most third basemen are Irish-McGarr, Collins, et al.—but there are good Germans at that corner also. Such shortstops as Corcoran, Dolan and McKean are excellent, but there is no discount on Dahlen and Herman Long. In the outfield there are great Irishmen-Burke, Tiernan, Ryan, Keeler, Griffin, etc., but there are great Germans—Lange, Stenzel, Stahl and many more.—Chicago News.

Chicago News.

A horrible warning has been given to base ball players and athletes who suck lemons during the exciting moments of the game. Reuben Washington was playing ball on Sunday near West Chester, Pa., with a lemon in his mouth. In the excitement of trying to stop a hot liner the lemon slipped into Washington's throat and lodged in the stomach. A doctor cut the base ball player open and extracted the lemon from his stomach. The youth may lose his life.

### WANTED TO CUT WAGES.

Now a Cotton Mill Is Idle and Several Hundred Men Out.

CORNWALL, Ont., April 14.-Yesterday morning the Canadian Colored Cotton Companies started work after a week of Companies started work after a week of idleness. A few minutes after work was begun the foreman announced to the speeders that there would be a further cut in their wages. The workmen, thirty or forty in number, refused to accept the reduction and left the building. In consequence of the action of the strikers the mill management closed the mill down for an indefinite period, thus throwing 700 or 800 hands out of employment.

NOT A SUICIDE. What the Official Account Says of the

Grand Duke's Death. SCHWERIN, April 14.—The official acerick Francis III., Grand Duke of Mecklenburg-Schwerin, at Cannes, says that durburg-Schwerin, at Cannes, says that during his physician's absence he went into the garden, according to his custom when experiencing difficulty in breathing. He evidently staggered from giddiness, the official account continues, and fell over a low wall into the street, a considerable depth, injuring his spine, was carried indoors and expired peacefully an hour later, after addressing his family and affectionately embracing his son.

## PREVENTING CONSUMPTION. Scaritt

The Cure of Catarrh the Most Potent Factor in the Compass of Sanitary Medical Science—The Perfection of the Copeland Practice the Culmination of Years of Experience—It Is by This Treatment That Catarrh Is Cured and Consumption Prevented.

RELATION OF CATARRH

TO CONSUMPTION.

the prevention of Consumption. There is nothing that so prepares the system for the entrance and development of the seeds of Consumption as does Catarrh. There is the most insidious and terrible of diseases -Consumption-as will the Cure of Catarrh.

There is no disease that so universally weakens the system as does Catarrh. The discharge from the disease runs down the bodily strength so that it becomes an easy prey to disease. Consumption does not begin in the lungs of one in perfect health any more than throwing a lighted match in a pail of water will start a fire. Anything that will run down the bodily strength will allow the seeds of Consumption to gain a foothold in the lungs. If the people were only alive to the fact that & they attended to their throat and bronchial tubes and allowed those skilled in the treatment of these parts to cure them, there would be but few cases of Consumption.

While Catarrh does not cause all cases of Consumption, it is also true that all those to Catarrh. All Consumptives were Catarrh victims. They took cold; Catarrh had pre-Every Catarrh sufferer is in danger of contracting Consumption, whenever he or she preathes the air that has just been breathed out by one who has tubercular Consump-

While no intelligent or self-respecing doc or of to-day claims that all cases of Con sumption are of a Catarrhal character, still if the history of every case of Consumption was written, it would be found to consist of the story of frequent colds that were left uncured; colds that did not get well themelves; colds that came every spring and go better in summer, but came back worse in

the fall and winter; colds that were followed ing. As is well known the fatal form of to the entrance into the blood of Tubercle Bacillus, which settles in the lungs and sets up Lung Diseases.

The expelled air of a Consumptive frequently contains the seeds of the disease. The material which the Consumptive coughs up also contains these germs, which, after having dried in the air, are blown around and inhaled by other persons. It is seen at once that those who live in a section where Consumption is prevalent should be very particular to keep their bodily health at a high standard, and never allow themselves to have a Catarrh affected sore, inflamed, discharging nose, throat or Bron-chial Tubes, through which the Consump-tive germs may gain admission to the system. The most potent element that can be used to banish Consumption is the cure of Catarrh, the disease that makes the de-

elopment of Consumption possible.
When Catarrh has existed in the head and upper parts of the throat for any length of time, the patient living in a district where people are subject to catarrhal affections, and the disease has been left incured, the Catarrh almost invariably exends from the Throat, down the windpipe and thence into the Bronchial Tubes. These ubes convey the air into the different parts of the lungs. The pain which accompanie this condition is of a dull character, felt in the chest behind the breastbone, or else it is present under the shoulder blade. The cough that occurs at this time is dry, comes at varying intervals, is hacking in haracter, and is usually most troublesor in the morning upon arising or on going to bed at night. This peculiar character of the cough is often the first evidence that Catarrhal disease is extending into the ungs.

At this stage of the trouble in some cases there will be found streaks of blood mixed with the muscus that is expelled by the sough. In certain other cases small masses of cheesy-like substances are spit up, which, when pressed between the fingers, emit a very unpleasant odor. This last is a very serious symptom. In some cases Catarrh will extend from the Throat into the Lungs in a very few weeks; in other cases it may be months and even years before the disease passes from the Throat into the Lungs. During the night following the presence of these symptoms there is liable to be profuse night sweating. At this period of the disease a further extension is ever induced by a fresh cold, and the fresh cold at this time may be sill that it fresh cold at this time may be all that is needed to develop Rapid Consumption.

To show what can be done in the way of To show what can be done in the way of preventing Consumption, nothing is so convincing as this: Among the hosts that Doctor Copeland every yet reats, scarcely a person who has been un, his care has been known to develop luna, ease, This is proof beyond question that by curing Catarrh development of Consumption is prevented. THE PROPER COURSE

FOR SUFFERERS.

The proper course for sufferers is this: Read these symptoms carefully over, mark those that apply to your case, and bring this with you to the Copeland office. If you live away from the city, send them by mail and ask nothing that will so soon rid humanity of for home treatment. In either instance and whether by mail or office treatment the patient may be assured of the speediest relief and cure possible to enlightened medicine.

CATARRH OF HEAD AND THROAT.

The head and throat become diseased from neglected colds, causing Catarrh when the condition of the blood predisposes to this condition.



### CATARRH OF BRONCHIAL TUBES

This condition often results from eatarrh extending from the head and throat, and, if left unchecked, extends down the windpipe into the bronchial tubes, and in time attacks the lungs.



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Is there a tickling behind the palate?"
Do you feel you are growing weaker?"
Is there a burning pain in the throat?"
Have you pain behind the broasthous?"

CATARRH OF THE STOMACH.

This condition may result from several causes, but the usual cause is catarrh, the mucus dropping down into the throat and being swallowed.



SYMPTOMS OF EAR TROUBLES.

Deafness and ear troubles result from catarrh passing along the Eustachian tube that leads from the throat to the ear.

'Do your ears discharge?' "Do your ears itch and burn?"
"Are the ears dry and scaly?"
"Have you pain behind the ears "Is there throbbing in the ears "Is there a burning sound hear "Do you have a ringing in the "Are there cracking sounds hear".

DISEASE OF THE NERVES.

The majority of nervous diseas are caused by poisons in the blood. Poison circulating in the blood harasses the brain and nerves, and such

symptoms as these follow: "Do you get giddy?" "Is your m'nd dull?"
"Are you easily dazed?" "Do you have headache?"

SYMPTOMS OF CATARRH

OF THE KIDNEYS.

This condition results either from colds or from overwork of the kidneys in separating from the blood the poisons that have been absorbed from catarrh.



DR. COPELAND'S BOOKS FREE.

Doctor Copeland's second book of Monographs is now in circulation. It contains in condensed form the famous physician's Monographs on the Stomach, the Liver and the Skin; also a de-scriptive article entitled "Why the Treatment Cures." This second book of Monographs, as well as his first book containing his Monographs on Deafness and on Catarrh, may be obtained free upon application to the office.

Sunday, April 18—Eugenis Blair is Repertory. free upon application to the office, either in person or by writing. Write for Symptom Blank.

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PENNYROYAL PILLS

# **'HOBOES NICHT**

ONKEL HEINRICH DOESN'T LIKE THE GREAT UNWASHED.

ABE SLUPSKY SELLS GLOVES.

Eph Houston Was Referred to "De Ole Man" and Humble Job Hunters to Starkloff.

basis at the Mayor's office. It is to be a working administration. The workers are all to be taken care of. There are to be no Miss Eve, the Spencerian stenographer. her brow Wednesday morning and hamdo so, now sits with his feet on his desk

Even the wires are worked.

Onkel Henry was again on hand promptly at 8 o'clock Wednesday morning. He has posted a rule which he thinks will prevent ardiness. Every attache of the office, himself included, will be fined 5 cents for every minute he or she is late. The fines will be paid out of the contingent fund.

At the very outset Onkel Henry, the im-

placable foe of corporations and monopoles, has given a four years' extension to complete monopoly ever estab-

use cinched.

Before that Building Commissioner J.

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thur Bell, and he held tight to the soft thing.

Jarvis circulated a petition and got 200 signatures. He flashed it on Onkel Henry and showed nis Walbridge frauchise.

His honor was puzzled. "Dese looks like one of them tam monopolies," said he. "It wouldn't do for Onkel Henry to sign a franchise like that, but I tells you vat I do. Cyrus vas a wera wise man. I don't think he made a mistook. Yust you go right on, Cheneral, under the old franchise und it'll be alles recht."

The General offered the Mayor a bunch of tickets, but he drew back indignantly.

"No. N-n-n-no," he cried. "Don'd try to come any Scullin business on your Onkel Henry."

day was Col. Abraham Supsay, particle water inspector.

He had his nerve, his diamonds and a box of sealskin gloves, opera length, with him.

"Col. Slupsky," he announced, as he stood inside the door, "hats off."

Everybody uncovered. "That's right," the Colonel said, condescendingly; "take down your Filleys in the presence of your superiors."

Where's Henry," he asked Sergeant cGrew.
"The Mayor is at his desk," said the ergeant, with a touch of dignity.
Abe rushed through the swinging doors, hich remind one of the portals of a beer orden.

garden.

Several double-chinned blue bottles were buzzing about the Mayor's ear. Abe swatted them right and left-and chased them pell mell down the private stairway.

He tried to close the door, but Henry protested.

cerning the alleged will. He stated he remembered no letter, but he supposed Allmade shut I am ruined. All my bromises vill be broke and I can never be Gov'ner."

"All right, old man," said Abe, "we'll leave the bars down, but if Adam don't keep the Dutch out I'll get him fired."

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"Yaw, yaw," said Abe impatiently, "it's a purty decent morning, but I didn't climb up in the elevator to talk about the weather. Abraham's here on business."
He laid his box on the desk and opened it. "I've got here." he said briskly, "six pairs of sealskin gloves. I got 'em from a gleser what stole 'em from a freight car at Alton, Ill. They're the real thing, hot stuff, summer or winter. I knew the seal that raised 'em. I don't need 'em or I'd keep 'em. You've got a big family with big hands. It'll be cold next winter. I'll let you have the lot for three six-bits. Come on now, Henry, help a poor man to make a living." He pulled on a pair to show them off. They came up to his shoulders. "They're just the thing for deep sirow," he said. Onkel Henry bought a pair for 45 cents. Abe rolled up his trousers and got the

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"Go to die Strasse Department, die Gesundheit Department und die Wasser Department. If they have any blaces I'll help you to get him," said His Honor.
The Willie started to go. "Vait," cried his honor. "Go fuerst to the Gesundheit Department. Mein freurd, Dr. Starkloff, is der boss there. He "eeds sanitary inspectors and fumigators" his pizness."
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spectors and funigators in his planess."

The first official communication to come out of the Mayor's office was sent to Harbor and Wharf Commissioner Stone Wednesday. It read:

Mayor's Office, St. Louis, April 14, 1897.

To C. H. Stone, Harbor and Wharf Commissioner: missioner:
Dear Sir: I am in receipt of your kind
invitation of this date and will make the
trip up the river with you if nothing intervenes.
HERR ZIEGENHEIN.
Mayor.

Mrs. Cairns a Candidate.

Mrs. Anna Sneed Cairns, principal of Forest Park Seminary, has announced herself a candidate for the School Board. Mrs. H. H. Wagoner declined to have her name rest by the St. Louis Equal Suffrage Association and Mrs. Cairns was substituted.



### WILLED PROPERTY TO EACH OTHER.

JOHN ALLGEIER'S NOVEL CLAIM IN PROBATE COURT.

DOCUMENT THAT IS MISSING.

Concealed Some Important Papers.

The application of John Allge'er of 1835

of the Fourth National Bank, son-in-law of Geisel. for the hand of the present Mrs. Holthaus, and that Allgeler and old Mr. Geisel were regarded as allies in the matterbeing such good friends they each agreed to make a will leaving \$5,000 to the other. The application was directed against Gisano Geisel. of 1833 and Selgried Geisel. Sons. S. H. Smith, a son-in-law, and Louis J. Holthaus. Mr. Holthaus was the administrator of the Geisel estate, He was in court with Mr. Smith and Slegfried Geisel but none of the defendants were represented by attorney. Lawyer Gabriel Woerner appeared for Aligeier. Who testified that Geisel died about twelve years ago. Several years before Aligeier himself was near death. "While I was sick." testified Aligeier. "Mr. Geisel came to see me. He told me I ought to make my will. Then I proposed that we both make our wills, leaving \$5,000 to each other. He said all right, and the one who lived the longer would get to each other." continued Aligeier, "We had been acquainted since 1851. I made my will and then I got well. About eight months before Geisel's death he sent for me. He took mot his room and showed me his deeds to property and a bag full of gold coin. Then he opened another drawer and took out a paper. "Here is my will, he said. Then he showed me the will. After he died, I asked Mrs. Geisel about the will. It was like an electric shock to her. She didn't make any answer. All the members of the family were good friends of mine."

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Siegfried Geisel questioned Allgeier's friendship with the family and asked him if old man Geisel was not the only one who was friendly with him.

"They were all friendly to me," replied Allgeier, "until Mr. Holthaus commenced coming around. Then they weren't so friendly."

Judge Woerner wanted to rest his case on

Judge Woerner wanted to rest his case on Allgeler's testimony, but Judge Rassieur stated he could not make the desired order without additional evidence, so Mr. Holthaus was called to the stand.

He denied a will was being concealed or one had ever been found. The deceased, he said, was sick but three days before he idled and was paralyized so that he could not answer the questions put to him as to the lidesposition he desired made of his estate. Mr. Holthaus said that Ge'sel became timid about his money several months before he filed and put his bonds and money in a box and burled the box in his cellar.

"I wish to make a statement concerning what Mr. Allgeler said concerning me," soncluded Mr. Holthaus. "He said he was welcomed at the house until I commenced to long there. He never asked me whether he could come, and I never asked him to the presume it was because he had an idea of narrying Mr. Gelsel's daughter, who is now my wife."

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Mr. Holthaus was asked about a letter Allgeier testified he wrote Mrs. Geisel concerning the alleged will. He stated he remembered no letter, but he supposed Allgeier wrote to Mrs. Geisel in order to win her favor, with a view to marrying her daughter.

### NEW POLL BOOKS.

They Will Be Used in the School Election Primaries.

Notwithstanding the School Board, at its meeting Tuesday night, refused to make an appropriation to pay the expenses of the oming school election, the Election Commissioners are going ahead with their preparations for the election and will rely on the courts deciding that the School Board must furnish the money.

A force of clerks in the Ele Onkel Henry bought a pair for 45 cents.

Abe rolled up his trousers and got the change. "It's like giving 'em away," he said sadly. "They're worth \$6 at least."

A force of clerks in the Election Commissioners office is now preparing a new set of poll books to be used at party primaries. Under the new primary law the

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Chief Eagle Eph Houston came in, and after a whispered consultation with Page Claymorgan, passed on in and braced the Mayor.

"Mr. Ziegenhein." he said, "all the Eagles is a floopin' they wings fur yu in reckonition of your reckonition of de cullud race, but whut yu gonter do fer de chief?

"That's all right, Eph." said the Mayor.

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"Tou yust lay low and sav noddings und you be fixed. Go up and talk to Filley und see what he's got for you."

Eph grunted ambiguously and shuffled out.

"Hoboes nicht wilkommen hier" will be painted over the inner door in a day or two. This class of callers has been so namerous that their visits will have to be discouraged.

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Set of poll books to be used at party primaries, and the extra set is now same set of poll books must be used at any primaries, and the next primaries, and the extra set; is now being revised according to the last registration, and will be used at any primaries, and the extra set; is now being revised according to the last registration, and will be used at any primaries, and the extra set; is now being revised according to the last registration, and will be used at any primaries, and the extra set; is now being revised according to the last registration, and will be used at any primaries, and the extra set; is now being revised according to the last registration, and will be used at any primaries, and the extra set; is now being revised according to the last registration of the Republican and Democratic primaries, and the extra set; is now being revised according t

The Executive Committee of the Central

or not.

The Wednesday Club at its meeting to-night will select the woman whom the club will ask to be placed on some school ticket.

Money for Election Officers. The Election Commissioners still have \$800 to pay to election judges and clerks who have failed to call and get their money. If the dilatory judges do not call within a few days the money now being held for them will be turned over to the school fund.

BLONDIN DIED POOR.

Personal Estate of the Rope-Walker

Appraised at \$7,500. LONDON, April 14.-The probate of the will of the late Jean Francois Gravelet, known to the world as Blondin, the famous ropewalker, develops the fact that, not-withstanding the thousands of times he risked his life and the princely income that for years rewarded his daring, he died a poor man. His personal estate has been appraised at but \$7,500, while his holdings of real estate were confined to the house at Ealing in which he passed the closing years of his life.

Humphrey Bills Discussed.

ecial to the Post-Dispatch. Special to the Post-Dispatch.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., April 14.—The Humphrey street railway bilis came up as a special order in the Senate. The Senate resolved itself into a committee of the whole and heard arguments for and against the measures. Those who opposed the bilis were U. A. Partridge, P. F. Doyle, President of the Chicago Federation of Labor, and Judge L. D. Thoman, C. L. Bonney and J. J. McDonald, attorneys for the Chicago street railways, spoke in favor of the bilis. The entire day will be consumed in the discussion.

Indeterminate Sentence Law.

special to the Peat-Dispatch.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., April 14.—Representative Avery introduced a bill repealing the indeterminate sentence law as far as it is applicable to the Beformatory at Pontiac.

## ALL THE WORLD'S AGAINST HER.

MRS. DOBSON HAS BOTH REAL AND IMAGINARY WOES.

NOW AT THE CITY HOSPITAL.

She Was Found Sunday Night by Heirs of George Geisel Said to Have Sergeant Boland Wandering About in a Demented Condition.

The application of John Allge'er of 1835 Franklin avenue to Probate Judge Rassleur about 40 years of age, called at the residence of Peter Walker, 6410 Wade avenue, to produce a will alleged to have been made by the deceased, was heard by Judge Rassleur Wednesday.

A tall, nicely dressed, fine looking woman, about 40 years of age, called at the residence of Peter Walker, 6410 Wade avenue, Tuesday night and said she wanted to see Mr. Walker. He is a buyer for Penny & Gentles and had not returned home at that A tall, nicely dressed, fine looking woman,

It developed during the hearing that arrival Allgeier was credited with having been a rival of Vice-President Louis J. Howhaus of the Fourth National Bank, son-in-law of Geisel, for the hand of the present Mrs. Welley were half afraid of her. By and by she left without scaling Mr.

### HUNTING HER BABY.

Distressing Story of a Young Kansas

hey tried to give the baby away, but no-body would take it. The girl says they laid it on a door-step at midnight, and she went to the home of an acquaintance. An hour later the young mother went back to look for the child she had abandoned and it was gone. The police suspect that the young man threw it in the river or into a sewer, and are searching for its body there.

## CARLOW COLLEGE PRIESTS.

in the parlors of Hotel Beers at 2 o'clock Tuesday. Arrangements were made to present an address to Archbishop P. J. Ryan of Philadelphia on the occasion of his silver jubilee. April 21. The archbishop received his education in Carlow College, which is the alma mater of many renowned bishops and priests in this country. The address will be richly illuminated. It is being prepared by a local jewelry firm. Another meeting to finish details and appoint a committee to take the address to the archbishop will be held at 3 o'clock Thursday, at the parochial residence of the Visitation Church, Easton and Taylor avenues.

### REAL ESTATE EXCHANGE.

There Will Be a Spirited Contest at the Election of Officers.

In accordance with the understanding had at the Real Estate Exchange banquet Edward B. Wolff, one of the candidates, has nominated twelve members of the Exchange to run conjointly with him for change to run conjointly with him for a board of directors. They are as follows: F. W. Mott, J. W. Bergfeld, M. R. Collins, Jr., Geo. W. Wilson, Paul Jones, Charles F. Vogel, Will Maguire, Sidney Schiele, James M. Franciscus, Jr., Robert M. Noonan and Dan Donovan.

The opposing candidate, H. L. Haydel, has not yet named his candidates for board of directors, but will do so to-morrow morning.

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Interest in the election, which takes place next Monday from 9 a. m. to 1 p. m. in the election of the election which takes place will be a little of the election. next Monday from 9 a. m. to 1 p. m., great and some warm political work will be done by the friends of the candidates.

Peabody on the Salvation Army.

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Thomas Duggan, 312 Convent street, was fined \$30 by Judge Peabody Wednesday for disturbing the peace of the Salvation Army at 1312 Merchant street.

Duggan went into the Army meeting place Tuesday night and made himself so obnoxious that he was ejected by the officers. He then threw a brick through one of the windows and was arrested. At the trial Wednesday Judge Peabody took occasion to say the methods of the Salvation Army soldiers were not, in his opinion, productive of results in making converts, but as long as society tolerated it he would have to uphold them when outsiders interfered.

### NEW JERSEY ELECTIONS.

The Democrats Had Altogether the Best of It.

NEWARK, N. J., April 14.-Returns from

Jersey City-Edward Hoos (Dem.) elected Mayor by 3,246 majority. Board of Aldermen—Nine Democrats and three Republicans. The new Street and Water Board—Four Democrats; one Republican.

Hoboken—Lawrence Fagan (Dem.) reelected Mayor. Democrats control Common Council

Rahway—Republicans elected the Mayor.
The Water and School Boards remain under Republican control.

Dover—George Pierson (Dem.) elected Mayor.

Bayonne—Seymour (Dem.) re-elected

Mayor.

Passalc—Andrew McLean (Rep.) elected
Mayor.

New Brunswick—Dr.
(Rep.) elected Mayor.

Paterson—Ex-Senator
John Hincheliff
elected Mayor. Paterson-Ex-Senator John Hincheselected Mayor,
Newark-Charles Herr (Dem.), for Commissioner of Public Works, was elected.
Harrison Vandyne (Rep.) was also elected
Commissioner. Nine Democratic Aldermen
were chosen and six Republicans. The
Democrats control the beard.
East Newark-Mayor Kenny (Dem.) reelected.

elected. Vailsburg-Mayor Maybaum (Dem.) re-

### CATHOLIC FACTIONS. Lines Sharply Drawn on the Removal

of Mgr. Schroeder. pecial to the Post-Dispatch.
WASHINGTON, D. C., April 14.-Al-

though those in authority at the Catholic University emphatically repudiate the suggestion that the intended trans-University emphatically repudiate the suggestion that the Intended transfer of Mgr. Joseph Schroeder, chief professor of the department of German, to the pontifical college of the Josephinum at Columbus, O., is the opening gun of a conflict between the Italian and German factions of the church in this country, yet the privately expressed opinions of some of the university faculty and students, and letters received here from different parts of the country, indicate that Mgr. Schroeder's removal will be so regarded by the German element of the denomination. The whole affair is at least significant, as indicating that amicable relations of the strongest nature have been established between the Italian elements by which the university is controlled and the liberal American element, of which Archbishop Irelate is the acknowledged head and front; for the sole offense of Mgr. Schroeder was the preparation for a German Catholic paper of an article directed against the liberal portion of the church and declaring that it was a memace to the doctrines of the Holy See. Protests against the transfer to Columbus of Dr. Schroeder are already beginning to pour in, and the case promises to develop sensational characteristics.

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Mr. Dobson when he was seen was disinclined to talk much.

"The woman secured a divorce from me," he said, "and I paid her alimony. This was to monthing of her affairs."

"No. I was glad to get rid of her."

Lawrence B. Colgan, a butcher at 2975 Easton avenue, is a brother of the demented woman. He was not surprised when he learned what had happened.

"She has been crazy for several years."

"She has been crazy for several years," in he said. "She was utterly unreasonable, and we were finally forced to the conclusion that her mind was affected. Mr. Dobson is a fine man and when she sued him for a divorce he made no defense in order to avoid a scandel.

"After she got the divorce he was willing to care for her and did let her stay in the house awhile, but she finally left and went it cape Girardeau to visit relatives. Whis left there I don't know.

"Two days ago she showed up at the Bayard avenue house and scared the children half to death. We haven't heard from her since and don't know where she's been, "The only thing we could have done was to put ner in an asylum, but we didn't want to do this as long as she was coming ton harm. That's what will be done now."

Mrs. Dobson's attacksc come in spells. She is very intelligent at times and realizes that her nervous system has gone all to pleces.

HUNTING HER BABY.

EDITORS AT WAR.

Hot Times Between Smith and the McCoys of Utica, Mo.

CHILLICOTHE, Mo., April 14.—The town of Utica, this county, is undergoing all the excitement of Arizona Kicker journalism. The Times and the News are rival papere, and Editor Ed Smith of the News has been arrival papere, and Editor Ed Smith of the News has been arrival papere, and Editor McCoy of the Times accused Smith of writing or inspiring articles that appeared in the Chillicothe papers concerning a fight which McCoy had with his cousin, Wat McCoy the McCoy had with his cousin, was met at the depot by the McCoys in a body in full war regalia, and only saved his scalp by drawing his revolver and keeping his assall

CHICAGO, April 14.-Policeman Paul Crafts accidentally shot and killed h's sweetheart, Miss Lottle E. Jacobs, last Woman in St. Joseph.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

ST. JOSEPH. Mo. April 14.—A frantic young woman was found wandering about the streets at 3 o'clock this morning by the police, and she proved to be Miss Minnie Brown of Clyde. Kan. She said she had abandoned her baby and was looking for it again. The young woman came to this city yesterday in company with a young man. They tried to give the baby away, but nobody would take it. The girl says they laid

## WARRANT FOR ARNOLD.

The Bogus Baron Charged With Bigamy and Perjury. SAN FRANCISCO, April 14-Charles

Arnold, alias "Baron" Robert Von Turk-heim, will probably be brought back to an-Will Send an Illuminated Address to Archbishop Ryan.

A large and representative meeting of the priests of this diocese who studied in St. Patrick's College, Carlow, Ireland, was held in the parlors of Hotel Beers at 2 o'clock Tuesday. Arrangements were made to present an address to Archbishop P. J. Ryan of Philadelphia on the occasion of his silver jubilee, April 21. The archbishop resent to fetch him back to California. On his return a charge of perjury will also be field against him, based on the false affirmation he made last Saturday regarding this Lame when he procured the license to marry Jeannie Young. swer to a charge of bigamy. A warrant for

### MOUNT TABOR CASE.

of the A Trial in Indiana of Much Interest to Baptists.

LEBANON, Ind., April 11.—The celebrated ous shops near the station. He sat down in one of the chairs, and when the artist here to-day. A question of church dectrine is involved, with the "hardshell" and "soft-shell" Baptists as the opposing litigants. Each side has hundreds of followers in looked in the mirror, he failed to recognize the mirror he mirror he failed to recognize the mirror he LEBANON, Ind., April 11.-The celebrated

Body Found Probably That of E. A. Kilday of New York.

Two Pennsylvania Failures.

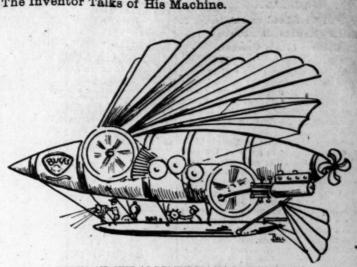
NORRISTOWN, Pa., April 14.—The Long-Mead Iron Co. and the Conshohocken Tube Co. of Conshohocken have gone into the hands of receivers. The failure is the largest that has ever occurred in this county. The liabilities will amount to about \$300.

The assets will not be over \$150,000. KANSAS CITY, Mo., April 14.-There was

## MADE IN ST. LOUIS.

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SHAVED, SHORN, SWINDLED.

Experience of an Akron, O., Man in a Barber Chair.

R. A. Wilson of Akron, O., had an experi Mount Tabor Church case was put on trial here to-day. A question of church doctrine is involved, with the "hardshell" and "soft-shell" Baptists as the opposing litigants, Each side has hundreds of followers in every State in the Union, and the case will be watched with great interest by these people. Should the "anti-means," or "hardshells," win, it means a revolution in the shells," win, it means a revolution in the Baptist Church the world over. Prominent divines from all sections of the country six will be present and testify. It will take ten see the propose of the country six will be present and testify. It will take ten see the policy of the case.

DDOWNED IN UTAH.

Kilday of New York.

SALT LAKE, Utah, April 14.—The body of the man found in the Weber River yesterday at Ogden is believed to be that of E. A. Kilday of New York. On his clothing was found a memorandum book in which was written:

"If lost, return to Edward A. Kilday, 1241
Broadway, New York.
Broadway, New York.

"If anything serious happens notify Mrs.—E. A. Kilday, 32 Johns street, San Francisco."

The body appears to have been in the water about two months.

STUFFED BALLOT BOXES.

Kansas City Police Relief Association Scandal.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., April 14.—There was

On Trial for Manslaughter. A fury was selected in Judge Zachritz' court Wednesday morning to try Frederick Heimberg, charged with murder in the second degree.
On Dec. 22, 1896, Heimberg shot Gustave Ficht, inflicting a fatal wound.

Burlington Route to Nebraska.

SHE USED TO BE A LADY. But Mrs. Hines Says Mrs. O'Brien

"Ain't One Now." R. A. Wilson of Akron, O., had an experience with a barber near Union Station, Tuesday, which cost him \$4.50. Wilson arrived in the city about noon and, desiring a shave, wandered into one of the numer-Mrs. Lottie Hines called at the warran



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## GAN'T AGREE ON REORGANIZATION

DEMOCRATIC SACHEMS DIFFER AS TO WHO CONTROLS.

COOK SAYS PRECINCT MEN

Local Leaders Hold That the Executive Committee Is the Superior Organization.

Democratic politicians are keenly .nterested in the reorganization of the Demoratic City Central Committee to be begun at a mass-meeting of the 426 precinct committeemen at Masonic Temple Hall Thurs-

Owing to the absence of any rules based on the precinct organization plan adopted by the State Committee no two Democrats in the city, it seems, have the same understanding of the exact jurisdiction of the precinct committeemen and the authority of the sixty-five executive committeemen.

The majority of the Executive Committeemen consider that the Executive Committee of 65 constitutes the supreme authority of the Democratic party in the city, and that the 428 precinct committeemen are secondary to them. It was with this understanding that Chairman Devoy consented last week to call a mass-meeting of the 426 precinct committeemen to formulate rules to govern all ward precinct organizations uniformly. in the city, it seems, have the same un-

formly.

But the interpretation of the reorganization plan given by Chairman Cook of the State Committee in last Sunday's Post-Dispatch came as a thunderbolt in the quarters of the City Executiv Committee. That interview placed an entirely different phase upon the mass-meeting of the 426 precinct committeemen to be held Thursday night. Chairman Cook declared that the 426 Precinct Committeemen were the supreme authority, and that the 65 Executive Committeemen were secondary to them. Furthermore, he pointed out that the 426 Precinct Committeemen had the right to meet together in one hall and elect a chairman, secretary and other necessary officers and duly organize as the City Central Committee.

greater importance than was at first supposed.

In the absence of any rules the interview with State Chairman Cook in last Saturday's Post-Dispatch is now the only official statement governing the reorganization of the party in St. Louis.

A. C. Maroney, Secretary of the City Executive Committee, and Thomas E. Barrett and Ben F. Brady, members of the State Committee, declare that the reorganization plan was never intended to make the precinct committeemen superior to the Executive Committeemen; that the precinct committeemen; that the precinct committeemen were to meet in their respective wards and form ward organizations, but were never to meet in one hall in mass convention; that the precinct men were the supreme authority in their wards, but the Executive Committee of sixty-five was the central body controlling all party affairs.

was the central body controlling all party affairs.

Some Democrats raise the point that the reorganization plan distinctly set forth that the 426 Precinct Committeemen, together with the sixty-five Executive Committeemen, should compose the City Central Committee, and that therefore it would be entirely anomalous to have the Precinct Committeemen, who make up the larger portion of the City Committee, meeting in twenty-eight different sections and never coming together in one hall.

The question is whether a permanent chairman and other officers to be at the head of the City Central Committee will be elected at Thursday night's meeting. In view of Chairman Cook's Post-Dispatch interview a number of Precinct Committeemen will claim that such officers must be elected in order to complete the reorganization of the party.

A small number of precinct committeemen who supported Meriwether were thrown out of their respective ward precinct organizations before the election on the ground that they were not Democrats because they refused to recognize the Regular Democratic ticket. These ousted Meriwether committeemen will appear at Thursday night's meeting and demand reinstatement. They will claim that they were ousted fliegally, as a precinct committeeman is elected to serve two years.

State Chairman Cook said on that point:

"The ward precinct organizations had a perfect right to throw out all committee-

le Executive Committee has no teat that Ed Butler will capture the Thursday it meeting. It is known that Butler not muster more than thirty precinct mitteemen to his support.

### MERIWETHER'S CHARGES.

Chairman of the Board of Election Commissioners Replies to Them. The Chairman of the Board of Election

Mr. Meriwether and his managers have assailed the Election Commissioners from time to time on various charges, one of which was that the Election Commissioners refused to give him any judges or clerks or challengers at the late municipal election. Now that the election is over and people have time for sober second thought, it might be well to call their attention to the law on this point. It is surprising that men of intelligence, lawyers especially should make such random accusations.

The Election Commissioners had no authority, under the law, to give Mr. Meriwether or any other independent candidate any judges or clerks. The large majority of judges and clerks who served at the late numberleal election were appointed last fall, for two years. Vacancies were filled in March and reported to the Circuit Court for confirmation, giving, in every instance, the reasons for these changes, which were subject to revision by the court.

The law provides that judges and clerks shall be appointed in equal number from each of the two parties receiving the highest number of votes at the preceding election, which, of course, means, in Missouri, the Democratic and Republican parties. The appointments of judges and clerks to fill vacancies were made in March, long before it was known who would be the candidates on the ticket at the municipal election.

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Mr. Meriwether and his managors have charged that eight or ten thousand have c

name on the ballot, thereby invalidating it.

The Election Commissioners are informed that the ballots rejected affected all parties, or candidates, and in nearly every instance were rejected because some voters still do not seem to understand how to prepare their ballot under the Australian system, and undertook to vote for different men under several groups, instead of perfecting their ballot as the law directs, under one group. For instance, one would scratch Ziegenhein on the Republican ticket and leave the balance of the Republican ticket unscratched and scratch all of the Democratic ticket except the name of Harrison for Mayor, or vice-versa, would scratch Harrison on the Democratic ticket except Ziegenhein for Mayor, or in other instances would scratch the Republican ticket, scratch Harrison on the Democratic ticket, except Harrison on the Democratic ticket, except Harrison on the Democratic ticket, except Harrison on the Democratic ticket, instead of writing in the name of the candidate for Mayor for whom they wanted to vote under the name of the candidate scratched on the ticket which they desired to vote and scratching out all the other groups on the ticket.

If these rejected ballots were opened in

scratching out all the chief strong ticket.

If these rejected ballots were opened in any contest it would doubtless be found that all candidates lost more or less on account of these rejected ballots, and all about the same.

GEO. W. JONES, Chairman.

Office Board of Election Commissioners, St.

GRASSMUCK WILL CONTEST.

Thinks He Can Get Sweeney's Seat in the House of Delegates. George Grassmuck, who represented the

George Grassmuck, who represented the Fourth Ward in the last House of Delegates, and was defeated for re-election by John P. Sweeney, Democratic candidate, will contest. Grassmuck was between two fires on election day. Erb. the independent candidate, and Sweeney, the Democrat, were lambanting him on both sides. The election returns show that Sweeney won by 36 votes over Grassmuck.

Grassmuck was a Starkloff man before the Republican convention nominated Zieg-

Grassmuck was a Starkioff man before he Republican convention nominated Zieg-mbein, and it is thought that a number of lepublicans knifed him and voted for Erb. Grassmuck claims there was crookedness two precincts whose returns did not ome in until after midnight. He has wenty days from last Saturday in which of leavily. o file suit. Capt. John F. Hinckley will not contest he re-election of Robert E. McMath at President of the Board of Public Improve-

IN HONOR OF JEFFERSON. Democrats Celebrate a Patriot's Birth-

day Without Formality. Ex-Gov. Stone, who was booked to speak the subject, "The Life and Character of Thomas Jefferson," at the Jefferson Club Hall Tuesday night, did not fill the engage

Hall Tuesday night, did not fill the engagement.

The club-house, 2022 Olive street, was filled with members and invited guests, and Thomas Jefferson's birthday was appropriately celebrated.

Joseph, W. Folk, First Vice-President of the club, presided. He made a short address on the teachings of Jefferson, and introduced J. B. Follett as the speaker of the evening.

Mr. Foliett, in reviewing the history of the Democratic party, showed that its founder stood for the genuine principles of Democracy as against autocracy. As to the issues of to-day the speaker declared the single monetary standard worked an injustice to the mass of the people.

The celebration closed with a short address from John A. Lee.

MADMAN O'CONNOR'S VICTIMS. They Are in a Bad Way, but May Re-

cover. Stanton Schick and Henry Dockery, the two insane patients at the City Hospital two insane patients at the City Hospital who had their skulls crabked Tuesday by John O'Connor, another insane patient, are still in a very dangerous condition. Dr. Sutter said Wednesday that they were doing quite well under the circumstances, but he would not hazard the prediction that they would recover.

O'Connor's attack was made while he was suffering from the delusion that they were plotting to kill him. All three were in the observation ward. O'Connor got hold of a hammer which had been left on a locker outside one of the ward doors, but still within reach.

within reach.
With this lie tackled Dockery in the lavatory. He knocked him down with a blow on the head. James Maloney, a convalescent prisoner detailed as a guard for the insane, tried to disarm the man. O'Cofnor was too strong for him, and knocking him lown, ran to a pallet where Schick was

down, ran to a pallet where Schick was lying.

He gave Schick two thumps on the head and then tried to kill Maloney. The latter field into the lavatory and locked the door. O'Connor then threw his hammer out the window and had just started for his bed when Harry Whalen, the attendant, who had been to dinner, came in and, overpowering him, tied him to his cot.

The skulls of both O'Connor's vietims were found to be fractured, but they did not lose consciousness. In fact, they seemed more rational than before.

Dr. Starkloff was sent for and after investigation exonerated Dr. Sutter and the attendants, He said so long as the Board of Public Improvements refused to build separate cells for the insane such things were liable to happen despite all precautions.

tions.

Dockery is 35 years old and was brought to the hospital a week ago from 1430 North Eighth street. Schick is 27, a printer, and lived at 1931 Marcus avenue. O'Connor is 27. His parents live at 2326 Biddle street.

HAVE GROWN CAUTIOUS.

Traffic Bureau Afraid to Tackle the Through Bill of Lading.

At the joint meeting of a committee from the Manufacturers' Association and the managers of the St. Louis Traffic Bureau Tuesday afternoon, to discuss the question of indorsing the St. Louis through bills of lading, Secretary Thomas L. Cannon of the Manufacturers' Association and J. W. Van Cleve of the Traffic Association, made strong appeals for the indorsement of the plan of absorbing the "bridge arbitrary" by making through bills of lading to and from St. Louis.

The matter was taken under consideration by the managers of the Freight Bureau, and will be referred back to the Board of Directors of the Exchange and to the Executive Committee of the Business Men's League for action.

As these gentlemen took it upon themselves to employ a Traffic Manager at a salary of over \$7,000 per annum, not only without consulting their respective bodies, but in the face of a strong protest on the part of some of the Exchange members, their sudden cautiousness is being widely commented on. At the joint meeting of a committee from

## Commence assessed WITHOUT A NEWS RIVAL.

The United Press has ceased to exist. It stopped business on the morning of April 8. The Associated Press has long been the greatest news-gathering agency in the world, and it is now without a competitor in the United States. Nearly all the leading newspapers of the United States and Canada are now members of the Associated Press, and competition with it in the news-gathering business is hopeless.

The POST-DISPATCH is the only afternoon newspaper in St. Louis that is a member of the Associated Press and entitled to receive its news service. Its superiority as a newspaper will therefore be more apparent than ever. It is practically impossible to make a genuine newspaper without this service, and the POST-DISPATCH has it exclusive for the after noon field in St. Louis.

## BOLTOCRATS AT THE FESTAL BOARD

GOLDBUG BANQUET ON JEFFER-SON'S BIRTHDAY.

HAD ABUSE FOR DEMOCRATS. SHIPPERS WILL STILL PAY.

and Make Speeches at the Southern.

Pseudo Democrats of golden doctruies sat amidst pink and green decorations in the banquet room at the Southern Hotel Tuesday night and displayed their arabesque nerve by attempting to glorify the memory of Thomas Jefferson. Boltocrats who voted for McKinley try-

ing to work themselves into an oratorica

fury over the memory of the immortal Jefferson, the father of true Democracy! That was the unique spectacle.

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The organization which dignifies itself with the name "National Democratic Clubs of St. Louis," although it polled but 473 votes in this city, gave this banquet to celebrate the birthday of Thomas Jefferson. At the table of honor, so called, sat the following high-muck-a mucks who aided Mark Hanna and Wall Street in the late national campaign:

Rolla Wells, President of the organization and toast master; David R. Francis, fag-end Secretary of the Interior for the Cleveland Administration, and Isaac H. Lionberger, ex-Assistant Attorney-General for the Interior Department; Seth W. Cobb, ex-Congressman and Board of Trade operator; Wayman C. McCreery, Internal Revenue Collector, who is aching to have McKinley keep him in office; George Robertson of Mexico, Mo., member of the Boitocratic State Committee of Missouri, if such committee has not died of inantition; Col. James O. Broadhead, ex-Minister to Switzerland; George Durant, servant of a telephone corporation; Edw. Cunningham, Jr., and L. R. Wilfiey, corporation lawyers. Among the other conspicuous Boltocrats present were C. C. Maffit, street railway owner, millionaire, and once Chairman of the old State Democratic Committee; Frank Galennie, who draws \$5,000 salary each year as manager of the St. Louis Exposition, an institution started by contributions from the plain people; Fred W. Lehmann, Henry T. Kent, Joseph Whyte, W. Lane, Capt. W. T. Austin, Alex N. De Menil, E. C. Slevin, Conde Pallen, Thomas Francis, L. Hayward, H. A. Haeussler, Benj. H. Charles, Judge J. H. Terry, James M. Carpenter, Price Lane, John W. Wilkinson, F. Nisbet, W. H. Lee, L. D. Dozier, John A. Blevins, H. S. Strong, W. K. Kavanaugh, E. D. Graham, George E. Hoffman, Sam S. Scott, F. N. Judson, Gen, D. M. Frost, George Robertson, R. Graham Frost, Rev, John Snyder, D.D., R. M. Hubbard, Dr. E. Evers, Martin Collins, John D. Davis, A. M. Schlierholz, J. West Goodwin, James L. Bla

Garrels, E. F. Gottra and Fred Vierling.

Ex-Attorney General Walker of Missouri fell into this company, too.

Isaac H. Lionberger spoke to the toast, "The Indianapolis Platform," and tried to prove that the Boltocratic doctrines therein declared were essential to true Democracy.

Mr. Lionberger, in outlining Thomas Jefferson's doctrine, made this statement:

"He who uses the law for his private enrichment imperlis the security of our institutions by affording a just ground for resentment. The people are the best guarmant of the liberties of the people."

Mr. Lionberger failed to explain how the Wall street oligarchy and the trusts, whom the Boltocrats aided, were "using the law for their private enrichment," and were thereby "imperling the security of our institutions by affording a just ground for resentment."

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"We might choose whether to be robbed by a fanatic Populist or a hypocritical Republican; by the partial repudiation of debts or the exaction of exorbitant prices."

Then Mr. Liouberger told about the Boltocratic National Convention at Indianapolis, and finally admitted that the Boltocrats were now floundering around like lost sheep outside of any herd. The Dingley bill kept them away from the Republican party and free silver coinage prevents them from becoming Democratic again.

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So the Palmer-Buckner people are simply Boltocratis—nothing more and nothing less. George Robertson tied himself in a hard knot by trying to prove, in a lengthy response, that Bryanism is not Jeffersonism. There was not a new Boltocratic argument in his entire harangue.

Fred W. Lehmann, corporation attorney, made a characteristic acrobatic attempt to prove that the Boltocratic actimpt to prove that the Boltocrats were not the friends and abettors of the trusts and monopolies. He closed with the boast that if he had to remain in the wilderness forty years he would remain there.

David R. Francis made a few remarks, declaring that the Boltocrats were Democrats, and that the Democratic party could never have survived after a victory upon the platform of Chicago. He denounced the Bryan Democrats as Populists.

Mr. Cobb, Rev. John Snyder and Col. Broadhead made short speeches, with tears in their voices, and Wayman McCreery ended the McKinley Ald Society pow-wow by singing a drinking sons.

On the souvenirs distributed were printed Jefferson's ten rules, One of them reads: "We never repent of having eaten too little."

That rule, it is suggested, forcibly applies to Mr. Francis, who are an exceedingly small piece of Federal pie. LOOKING FOR JAMES WOOD.

A Woman and Three Children Destitute in a Large City. A tired loking woman with three desolate looking children applied for shelter at the Fourth District Pelice Station Tuesday Fourth District Police Station Tuesday night. She said she came here from Siloam Springs, Ark., to look for her husband, James Wood, who, she had heard, was working on North Tenth street. Here father couldn't afford to care for her and the children and sent them to St. Louis to find Wood. Her money was soon exhausted and she went to the police.

Capt. Joyce, Sergt. Woodlock and other officers raised a purse for the unfortunates, get them lodgings at 1123 North Tenth street, and bought the eldest child a pair of shoes.

James Wood, the elusive husband and father, is a whitenea.

## MERELY HIDES THE ARBITRARY.

BENEFITS OF THE FREIGHT BU-REAU PLAN DOUBTFUL.

Who Bolted Last Fall Drink Wine Bridge Charges Will Not Be Reduced but Added to the Regular Freight Rates.

> An adjourned meeting of the St. Louis Freight Bureau and a special committee of the Manufacturers' Association will be held this afternoon to consider the advisability of asking Eastern roads entering St. Louis to adopt a St. Louis bill of lading.

The Manufacturers' Association recently announced with a big flourish that it had succeeded in bringing about the "absorption" of the bridge arbitrary by a number of the Eastern lines. Secretary Tom Cannon, who takes to him

self much of the credit for the achievement,

charges, but that they Thall be put out of sight so as to appear less like a special tax. I can see no advantage in their plan except in that it will prevent complaints from small buyers of dry goods and such articles, who do not like to see a heavy bridge charge written in red ink on their way bills. As for relieving the condition of shippers into St. Louis the plan will amount to nothing. "I can't say what we will do this afternoon, but there are others who think as I do."

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Another member of the Exchange said: "It seems to me that the plan being pursued by the Manufacturers' Association should meet with the hearty approval of the bridge monopoly. If the charge is put in the freight column as a part of the regular freight rate it will be impossible for St. Louis shippers to ever wipe out the bridge charge.

"As soon as the rallroads make the bridge charge a part of their rate it will become a regular freight rate, and will appear as such in the tariffs. As such it will be protected as a regular traffic factor by the railroads and will be recognized as a transportation charge by the Interstate Commerce Commission.

"The shippers will be debarred from fight-

IN DESTITUTE CIRCUMSTANCES. Fred Ledergerber's Wife Says He Has Left Her Penniless.

Fred T. Ledergerber of 6302 South Seventh street is missing. His wife is in destitute circumstances and has received no support circumstances and has received no support from him since February. He was then in Chicago. Ledergerber is an attorney and a speaker of some ability. He was employed by the National Republican Committee during the campaign. After the election he put up at the Tremont House, Chicago, and along in the winter sent his wife \$60. Since then she has received neither letter nor remittance.

Choral Symphony Concert.

Thursday morning at Bollman Bros., 1100 Olive street, the sale of balcony seats for the closing Choral Symphony Society concert will be open to the general public Extra seats in parquette and dreas circle will be sold to subscribers only. The concert will be given on April 20, and the great operatantata, Saint Saens "Bamson and Dellah," will be performed for the first time in this city.

Will Observe Good Friday. By a unanimous vote of the members the Merchants' Exchange. Wednesd morning, it was decided to adjourn on Go

# THE AIRSHIP.

SEVERAL MEN CLAIM IT ALIGHT. ED NEAR THAT PLACE.

ST. LOUISANS DISAPPOINTED.

Thousands Gazed Anxiously Skyward Last Night, but Saw Naught Save Clouds.

Probably half the inhabitants of St Louis glanced skyward, north, south, east and west Tuesday night hoping to see the strange light that has mystified the deni-zens of the Central West for a fortnight. But they saw nothing save dull heavy clouds that obscured the moon and stars and through this canopy of moisture no aerial

visitor thrust its prow.

Men of science were on the alert also, and at Washington University Observatory the large telescope was ready to turn to that part of the heavens where any phenome-The mystery deepens. Though the major-

ity ridicule the idea that anything beyond the natural has been seen, yet the thousands who viewed that strange light Monday night are as strong as ever in their faith that something has happened above the clouds that man has not yet accounted for, and they become indignant when their word is questioned.

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There is hardly an establishment down town but has one or two employes who witnessed the aerial visitor Monday. They were all on the lookout Tuesday night and saw nothing. Perhaps this non-appearance is explained by the following special dispatch received Wednesday morning from Girard, Ill:

"The airship was distinctly seen here last night by P. F. McCraner, William Street, Frank Metcaif and Ed. Steeples. McCraner is night operator at this place and when he came on duty at 6 o'clock the operator at Carlinville called him up, said the airship had passed over Carlinville in the direction of Girard and advised him to be on the lookout.

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at Carlinville called him up, said the airship had passed over Carlinville in the direction of Girard and advised him to be on the lookout.

"McCraner stepped outside and fifteen minutes later saw what he believed was the airship passing over this town in the direction of Nilwood. It was rapidly approaching the ground. McCraner asked the day operator to hold the wire for him and calling to Street, Metcaif and Steeples, who were standing near, he started on the run down the railroad track, they following. As they went they saw the strange craft drop to the ground behind a clump of trees about a quarter of a mile distant. Before they could reach the spot the ship was seen to rise, ascend to a great height and disappear to the north. They were so near where it rose they could see persons in the boat and could also distinguish a large letter 'M' on the side. All the men agree the craft was cigar shaped and had oars or wings extended.

"They continued on, to the spot where it had alighted, and saw distinctly the imprint of a man's feet. Their footprints did not lead anywhere and it was evident they were made by someone who had jumped out of the ship to repair some of the machinery on the outside.

"McCraner says he is willing to make affidavit to the above statements. When he returned to the wire he told operators up and down the line what he had seen.

"He repeated the story in full this morning to the Post-Dispatch correspondent." A reporter for the Post-Dispatch called at the Western Union Telegraph office in St. Louis Wednesday morning and asked Day Chief Spencer about McCraner.

"He is our night operator at Girard," Mr. Spencer repiled, "and is thoroughly reliable. He has worked for us some time. Yes, we have heard what he saw yesterday evening and it is the talk of the office. The matter is beyond my comprehension."

A dispatch from Carlinville says the airship passed over that place Tuesday evening and was seen by hundreds. It was also seen at Sherman and Williamsville.

Samuel Marsden thinks the strange ligh Secretary Tom Cannon, who takes to hims as elf much of the credit for the achievement, has his own ideas about absorption. He states that he would be the last person in the world to ask the bridge companies of think the charge excessive and would not offer an affront to the bridge people were middly suggesting that it be lowered. He admits that the secret of his success a traffic man lies in the fact that he pleases are traffic man lies in the fact

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

PERRY, O. T., April 14.—The airship, which has created so much excitement and concern in Nebraska, has made its appearance in Oklahoma. Hundreds of people declare that they have seen it in the past few days. It has been seen here by fifty people in the past two nights and is creating no little excitement. Five days ago it was seen by a dozen men at Guthrie, and two days before at South McAlester.

Col. Yates, a newspaper editor of this city, says he saw it, and it seemed to be nearly a hundred feet long and about one-fourth as wide. He said it went through the air toward the north, and the light, which would shine and then disappear, resembled a flashlight or a lightning bug. He also says he saw persons inside the machine. Four others were with Editor Yates at the time.

### "A PARISIAN ROMANCE."

Probably the most effective work that Mr. Mansfield does is his Baron Chevrial in "A Parisian Romance." Probably no other actor contributes a more striking bit of character acting. It is not an amiable role, but it has the fascination of the Satanic, and it is interesting as a picture of human nature as developed in the crucible of self. It is edifying as a demonstration of nature's immutable law of compensation. It is help-ful because it is a spur to thought. As developed by Mr. Mansfield, Chevrial's character is an almost perfect exemplification of the bigotry of materialism. Having no spirituality, he refuses to believe in its existence in others. He is for "Plutus and million." and thinks all are fools or hynarrowness of vision that usually accompanies fixity of purpose. His purpose is to pamper his body, and he sees but a little way on the road before him and nothing of interesting pathways. The audience at the Olympic last night received "A Parisian tense appreciation of its vivid character painting. Mr. Mansfield's work was up to its usual high standard. The company showed to excellent advantage as a whole, and the production was smooth and artistic. 'Prince Karl" is the bill for to-night

COL. HAY SAILS. To Take His Position as Ambassador

to England. NEW YORK, April 14.-Col. John Hay, Inited States Ambassador to the Court of United States Ambassador to the Court of St. James, sailed for England to-day on the American Line steamship St. Paul. He was accompanied by his wife and eldest daughter. Ex-Representative Perry Bel-mont was also among the passengers. He is going abroad for a stay of several months.

A Booth-Tucker Baby.

NEW YORK, April 14.—A son was born to Commander and Mrs. Booth-Tucker of the Salvation Army. He will be named Herbert Lincoln, in honor of "Old Abe."
It is announced that Gen. William Booth, founder of the order, will visit this country

## AN OPEN LETTER " To MOTHERS.

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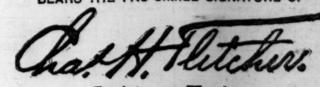
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## SUDDEN DEATH OF MRS. J. T. DONOYAN.

WAS STRICKEN WHILE DRIVING WITH HER CHILDREN.

**ALWAYS ENJOYED GOOD HEALTH** 

Something Gave Way in Her Brain and She Died After a Night of Agony.

Mrs. Anna Lucile Donovan, wife of Mr. Joseph T. Donovan, died suddenly at her home, 3037 Pine street, at 6 o'clock Wednesday morning.

Up to the moment she was stricken, Mrs Donovan enjoyed robust health. Her demise is all the more shocking, as her friends knew she never suffered a moment's ill-The physicians have not been able to

diagnose the exact cause of death.
All day Tuesday Mrs. Donovan was in the best of spirits. She had a number of callers intimation was visible of the end that was

About 2:30 o'clock she ordered her carriage and drove to St. Vincent's seminary to bring her younger children home. She ntended doing her marketing on the way home.
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While driving across Grand Avenue she felt a sharp pain in her head. When she got out at Buhler's grocery store, she could not remember what she wanted to Lurchase. Her distress was so evident that she was assisted back to her carriage.

She sank back on the cushions unconscious. The coachman drove rapidly home. At the residence the children, who had been crying over their mother's sudden illness, rushed in and alarmed the household. There were visitors in the parior and they immediately summoned Dr. T. F. Prewitt, who lives near by. He and his assistant carried Mrs. Donovan to her room. She became conscious for a moment and complained of a pain in her head. Then she lapsed into convulsions, which continued throughout the night.

Dr. P. G. Robinson, the family physician, was called. The two doctors worked with her all night, but could do nothing to bring relief. Her powerful constitution fought hard against dissolution, but the physicians knew the case was hopeless. Something had given way in the brain and their skill was baffled. At 6 o'clock Wednesday morning death ended the sufferer's agony.

Mr. Donovan and his sons were notified immediately after Mrs. Donovan was brought home. Her entire family spent the night about her bedside. They were vouchsafed the consolation of a short spell of consciousness in which she recognized them all, and, seeing a priest beside her bed, made her peace with Heaven.

Mrs. Donovan was 48 years of age. She was born in Dubuque, Io., where her father, J. T. Mahany, was a well-known newspaper man. She married Mrs. Donovan newspaper man. She married Mrs. Donovan newspaper man. She married Mrs. Donovan teather, lies a few months ago, by the death of her eldest son, Joseph M., married Miss Agnes Scholten, since dead, and her second son, Dan, married Miss Eliza Gugerty. Her third son, Frank, is with his elder brothers in his father's office.

Mrs. Donovan was noted for her evenness of temper and her wide charity. Her culture was a deep as

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G. P. A., Louisville, Ky.

Young Men's Institute Entertainment. Columbia Council, Young Men's Institute, will give a reception at Pickwick Hall, Washington and Jefferson avenues, Wednesday evening, April 21. Dancing will begin at 5:29



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### SITUATIONS WANTED-MALE.

BAKER-Sober, reliable, all round bread and cake baker, stranger in the city, desires position. Globe Hotel, 1122 N. 6th st., Vienna Joe. BARBER-Wants a steady job for Saturday night and Sunday. Ad. 2727 Stoddard st., J. H. W. CARPENTER-Must have work; good carpenter need; will do anything. Call or address 230 Madison st., 2d floor. COLLECTOR—Or bill and entry clerk, city sale man or solicitor; A1 references and bond required. Ad. T 602, this office.

COACHMAN-Wanted, situation by a Germa coachman; care of horses, cows and housework city references. Ad. 8 500, this office. CLERK-Experienced grovery clerk desires position in grocery store as clerk or delivery clerk; bes of refs. A. C. Motter, 1740 Division st. ENGLISHMAN—Anyone needing intelligent young Englishman around private or public place will make no error by answering this ad. Add. E 586, this office.

HOSTLER-Wants job driving delivery wag will work in private stable; ist-class; milker; references. Ad. O 602, this office. MAN-Wanted, position by a reliable young man writes neat hand: in office or assistant book keeper. Ad. W 599, this office. MAN-Paper cleaner, wallpaper cleaner, experienced, wants work by the day or job. Ad. Mar shall. 912 N. 20th st. MAN-Wanted, by young man of 19, work of any kind. Ad. M 604, this office. MAN-Wanted, by young man of 18, work of any kind. Ad. M 603, this office.

MAN—Wanted, situation by an industrious Ger-man; trustworthy; experienced in wholesale house, saloon, grocery; best city refs.; do anything; moderate salary. Ad. G 549, this office. MAN AND WIFE-Want place to work in cit or country; refs. Ad. W. D. L., 2111 Frankli

MAN-A position wanted by a young man to driv a light delivery wagon. Ad. 1532 Lafayette av. MAN-Young man wants situation in wholesale clothing house, with chance for advancement; will work first week without pay. Ad. F 603, this office.

MAN-Wanted, work by hard-working young mar-ried man, willing to do anything; no canvassing Ad. W 600, this office. PLUMBER-I went work at plumbing and gas-fitting; reasonable prices; good service. Ad. K 600, this office.

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### HELP WANTED-MALE.

BARBER WANTED-Steady work; bring tools 106 N. 7th at. BOY WANTED—A boy that has had some experience in plumbing trade. Apply to Cass Avenue Plumbing Shop, 2829 Cass av. BOXMEN WANTED—Granitoid finishers and box-men, at Liggett & Meyers Tobacco Factory, Myers Construction Co. COOK WANTED-First-class cook; must speak German; Ed Marker may call. 413 Morgan st. CLERK WANTED Elderly man for day clerk in lodging house; state wages expected. Add. B 602, this office. FREE treatment for all private, blood and rectal diseases. General Dispensary, 1408 Franklin av.

HELP WANTED-MALE. 14 words or less, 10c. MAN WANTED—Colored man to tend horse and degeneral work about the place. Apply at 3800 Washington av.

MAN WANTED-Steady, country-raised man for cows and garden at Forest Park University. MAN WANTED—Young man acquainted with the stationery business; inside position; state age, experience, salary expected and references. Ad. N 601, this office.

MEN WANTED-On Lafayette av. and Compton scraper-holders, teamsters and one railroad black smith. Thos. Whelan. OX-BLOOD TAN-Looks and feels like a \$5 shoe choice of 13 toe shapes, \$2.95. Harris, \$4 sho man, 520 Pine.

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OOK-KEEPER-Wanted, situation as book-keeper by lady of excellent education; willing to work on trial; first-class refs. Ad. F 577, this office.

COOK—Situation wanted by good woman to cool reliable and steady; in private family. Ad. 603, this office.

OOK-Situation by competent cook and laundress also housemaid. 715 N. Jefferson av. COOK-Situation by colored woman to cook, wash and iron; also a first-class housegirl, in small family; good references. 1307 Spruce st.

CHAMBERMAID-Situation wanted by competent ASHIER-Situation by experienced young lady as cashier or saleslady. Ad. W 602, this office.

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DRESSMAKER—Situation wanted by competent dressmaker having recently come to the city; wishes a few more engagements in families. 4570 Cote Brilliante av.

IOUSEKEEPER—A reliable woman wishes a place as housekeeper or to do general housework in a small family; no objection to the suburbs of the city. Call at 900 Victor st. HOUSEGIRL-Situation by a colored girl for general housework. Call 20041/2 Mills st. IOUSEKEEPER-By a quiet, refined widow for refined business man; widower preferred; no ob-jection to children. Ad. B 604, this office.

HOUSEGIRL—Situation wanted by young German girl 16 years old for general housework. Ad. M 602, this office.

IOUSEKEEPER—Wanted, position as housekeeper in a small family; excellent cook and economical manager; would leave the city; references. Ad. H. 2825 Olive at. AUNDRESS-Wants washing or house-cleaning by the day; references. 701 N. 15th st. AUNDRESS-Wanted, washing out two days in the week, Tuesday and Wednesday, by colored woman. 2004/2 Mills at.

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WAITRESS—Experienced waitress, accustomed to railroad eating-houses, would like position with some road at once. Ad. P 600, this office. WOMAN-Situation wanted by colored woman t do scrubbing and bouse-cleaning, 1819 Lucas av.

WOMAN—Wanted, by young woman, work to boarding-house where she can go home at night Ad. L 603, this office.

WAITRESS—Position as experienced tray waitress restaurant or hotel, or chambermaid. Ad. K 601 this office.

SITUATIONS WANTED-FEMALE.

WOMAN-A lady wants to do general work in small family. Call at 2216 Franklin av., 2d floor

### STOVE REPAIRS. Gas, gasoline and cook stove repairs; gasolin toves fixed to burn gas. J. Forshaw, 111 N. 12th

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BOND CALL—Holders of Callaway County, Missouri, bonds are hereby notified that certain outstanding five per cent bonds of said county have been declared due and payable on the first day of May, 1897, by the County Court of said county, and will be paid with interest thereon to that day, and on that day all interest thereon will cease. Said bonds are more particularly described as follows: Thirty (30) bonds of the denomination of five hundred dollars (\$500) each, numbered 71 to 100, both numbers inclusive; one hundred and thirty-five (135) bonds of the denomination of one thousand dollars (\$1,000) each, numbered 79 to 90, both Inclusive; 92 to 102, both inclusive; 106 and 167; and 174 to 227, both inclusive; 108 and 167; and 174 to 227, both inclusive, all dated August f. 1887. Said bonds will be paid either at the office of the Union Trust Company of the City of St. Louis, or at the National Bank of Commerce in the City of New York as the respective holders may elect. The market price of the 5-20 refunding bonds, which is authorized this day by the court to be issued, has been found to be \$1.01, and the market price of the 7-20s has been found to be \$1.01, and the market price of the 7-20s has been found to be \$1.01, and the market price of the 7-20s has been found to be \$1.01, and the market price of the 7-20s has been found to be \$1.01, and the market price of the 7-20s has been found to be \$1.01, and the market price of the 7-20s has been found to be \$1.01, and the market price of the 7-20s has been found to be \$1.01, and the market price of the 7-20s has been found to be \$1.01, and the market price of the 7-20s has been found to be \$1.01, and the market price of the 7-20s has been found to be \$1.01, and the market price of the 7-20s has been found to be \$1.01, and the market price of the 7-20s has been found to be \$1.01, and the market price of the 7-20s has been found to be \$1.01, and the market price of the 7-20s has been found to be \$1.01, and the market price of the 7-20s has been found to be \$1.01, and

### THE MARKETS.

ST. LOUIS, April 14, 1897.

The weekly weather crop bulletin, issued from Washington, says: "The week was too cold and wet to be favorable for farm work. It has been too wet for seeding in the Northwest. But little spring wheat has gone into the ground."

Advices from all parts of the Northwest indicate that if the season is not too late there will be a heavy increase in the spring wheat acreage.

Trade to change the present to Obleago Board of Trade to change the present the So as to not allow of the delivery of No. 2 spring wheat on contracts, but make No. 2 red and these qualities now self-room only deliverable, and these qualities now self-room only deliverable, and these qualities now self-room only deliverable and these qualities now self-room only deliverable on contracts.

The Merchants' Exchange Committee on Flour Inspection will meet Thursday afternoon at 1 o'clock to consider the petition asking that the grades of four be abolished. All persons interested in the matter are invited to appear before the committee and present their views.

Abel Rey of Parls, in a letter to John Milliken, says: "Here the weather is again unsettled, and we are having almost daily heavy showers, mixed with hall and snow, but the depression in the English markets and weakness of your daily quotations keep us very dull, and even causes our prices to gradually descend. As to the wheat in the ground, there is no real complaints, but the feeling that with a shorter acreage and an excess of misture our next crop, even with favorable weather from now until harvest, cannot equal in quantity by 10 per cent the crops of the last three years.

Opening cables were as follows:
Liverpool—Spot wheat steady and unchanged; futures steady, 144d higher. Corn—Spot steady and unchanged; futures quiet, 4d lower.

London—Wheat cargoes arrived off coast quiet; on passage quelt, but steady. English country markets, some 6d lower, some 6d higher. French country markets quiet.

Berlin—Wheat, 494% marks lower.

Paris—Wheat quiet, 16 cms lower; flour,

ing. New York message says 10 loads of wheat A New York message says 10 loads of wheat were taken for export to the United Kingdom-mostly spring wheat. The Merchants Exchange will be closed Friday and there will consequently be no Exchange markets on that day. All the leading Exchanges in the world will be closed on Good Friday.

	Wednesday.	Tuesday.	Year Ago.
Wheat		438,186	1,177,079
Corn		1.986,041	754.875
Oats	. 108.131	94,896	488.637
Rye	. 17.817	17.817	2,742
Barley		12,206	******
No. 2 red winter	. 95.848	96.848	33,652
No. 2 hard winter	. 162,821	162.821	906,870
No. 2 corn		668,308	683,644
No. 2 white corn	. 61,785	60,444	56,444
No. 2 oats	. 36,219	86,219	197,791
No. 2 white oats	. 2,205	2,205	166,414
No. 2 rye	. 11.337	11.337	1.463

	W	HEAT.		
	We	d'day.   T	uesday.	Year A
Regular	Cas	h Mark	et Pric	es.
2 rye		11,337	11,337	1,4
2 white oats		36,219 2,205	86,219 2,205	197,7
2 white corn		61,785	60,444	56.4

		WHEAT.		
No. 2 red No. 8 red No. 4 wi		92 b 90	@91 b 69	%@693 50
		CORN.	4	4
No. 2 wh No. 3		21 b	21 b 21 4 b 20	26%
	2011-06	OATS.	.11 4, 110	1
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	Fut	ure Price	es.	
		lighest   I	owest   w	Closed edsday.
1.0	7311	WHEAT.		
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1	CORN.		
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	OATS.		
May 181/4	18¼b	1816b	181/40
CHICAGO—Repor	WHEAT.	%@66%	6814
aray . [0178020172 ]	CORN.	74 (15 OO ) 1	0814
May . 23%@23%	23%	231/4	23%
Sign of the second	OATS.		
May .   = 161/4	161/2	161/4	1616b
	PORK.		
May . \$8.871/2	\$8.30	\$8.20	\$8.271/6
May .  \$8.871/2		\$8.20	\$8.271/6
May .   \$8.87%	\$8.30		\$8.271/g 4.15@171/g

May . 4.62% 4.60@62% 4.57% 4.60@62% CHICAGO, April 14.—Wheat, April, 684c n; May, 684c s; July, 674c64c; Sept., 684c, Corn—April, 234c n; May, 234c n; July, 254c b; Sept., 264c b, Oata—April, 16c u; May, 164c b; July, 175c b.

RIBS.

Oats—April, 16c n; May, 16%c b; July, 17%c b.

OURB MARKETS.

St. Louis, 2:30 p. m.—July wheat, 73c sellers.

Puts, 72c; calls, 73%g/74c.

Chicago—May wheat, 63%c bid. Puts, 67%c sellers; calls, 69%c bid. July wheat, 67%c %c. Puts, 66%c sellers; calls, 69%c sellers. Corn—May corn, 23%c. Puts, 23%c; calls, 24c.

WHEAT.

The market was slow to open and very dull for some time afterward, and for lack of support, prices gradually declined. Local receipts were very light and receipts in the Northwest were also lighter. Cables were somewhat irregular at the start, but wheat was higher in Liverpool. Continental cables, however, were lower.

The political outlook was better and crop damage reports were not quite so numerons, but there was no business, and both sides were cantious.

Receipts of wheat at Minneapolis and Duluth to-



day were 203 cars, as compared with 349 cars a year ago.

Receipts at St. Louis to-day were only 1,800 bu, as compared with 16,611 bu a year ago. Of these receipts the full-amount. 2 cars, was local, as compared with 1,694 sacks and 19 cars local a year ago.

July wheat opened at 72%c, %6%c more than a was asked at the close yesterday. It was offered down to 71%c, called and sold up to 71%c and then sold down to 71%c, called and sold up to 71%c, and then sold down to 71%c, to 10%c but and then sold down to 71%c, and then sold up to 72%c and then broke to 71%c, where it stood at Oall time.

A was asked at the close yesterday, but May wheat was not mentioned during the early part of the session.

Spot grades—On Call No. 2 red wheat had 92c bid regular, with none offered, and there was not a single bid or offer on any of the other grades.

The sample market was quiet, as there was scarcely anything offered. No. 2 red wheat was worth nominally 35c and choice soft spring wheat was salable at 75c, but there was no movement to the low grades.

Closing cables were:

Liverpool—Spot wheat steady and unchanged; futures ½6 higher. Corn steady and unchanged for spot; futures ¼6 lower.

Paris—Wheat steady to 20 cms lower; flour 20 to 45 cms lower.

tree 3/d higher. Corn steady and use 3/d higher. Corn steady and spot; futures 3/d lower.

Pariss—Wheat steady to 20 cms 1 to 45 cms lower.

Berlin—Wheat 3/d mark lower.

Antwerp—Wheat unchanged.

speculative demand was also light and cables were lower.

The receipts at St. Louis to-day were 22,795 bu, as compared with 16,440 bu a year ago. Of these receipts 438 sacks and 14 cars were local as compared with 21 cars and 416 sacks local a year

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May corn opened at 21%c asked and sold at 21%c, %c down from yesterday's closing bid.

July wheat opened at 23%gi4c asked, but sold at 23c, %gi4c less than was bid at the close yesterday. Later it sold at 22%c.

September, corn opened at 24%c, a shade lower than the close, but soon sold down to 24%c, and just before the close it sold at 24%c, as shade lower than the close, but soon sold the Farmers', Advance and United and 21 but Farmers', Advance and United. No 2 white was not mentioned.

Spot Grades—On add 21c bid Farmers', Advance and United. No 2 white was not mentioned.

No 4 will be was offered at 19%c St. Louis, with 19%c bid East Side and 19%c bid United. No 4 will be a bid United and East Side and 19%c bid United and East Side. No 4 white was offered at 19c regular, with no bids.

The sample market was quiet, but firm, Five thousand bu of No. 2 white corn sold East track at 23%c, and No. 2 mixed was worth 22%c. Choife dry mixed corn was wanted at 24c.

Clearances of corn to-day were 441,000 bu. Receipts at primary points to-day were 267,000 bu, as compared with 222,000 bu a year ago. The shipments were 800,000 bu, as compared with 271,000 bu a year ago.

Arter C41 May corn sold up to 21%c, and then ments were 800,000 bi, as compared with 241,000 bu a year ago.

After Call May corn sold up to 21%c, and then had 21% affice bid. July sold up to 23%c and September sold up to 24%c, but was afterward offered at 24%c co.

The close was firm at 21%c bid for May corn.
23%c bid for July corn and 24%c bid for September.

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OATS.

There was no mention of oats in the pit before Call. Receipts were light, but there were no buying orders, and the cash demand was also slow.

Receipts at St. Louis to-day were 18,700 bu, as compared with 12,100 bu a year ago. Of these receipts 13 cars were local, as compared with 11 cars local a year ago.

Spot grades—On Call No. 2 oats were offered at 18%c and had 18c bid, but the other grades were entirely neglected.

The sample market was quiet and unchanged.

No. 2 white sold at 22%c, No. 3 white from 19c to No. 2 white sold at 22%c, No. 3 white from 19c to No. 2 white sold at 22%c, No. 3 white from 19c to No. 2 white sold at 22%c, No. 3 white from 19c to No. 2 white sold at 23%c, No. 3 white from 19c to No. 2 white sold at 23%c, No. 3 white from 19c to No. 2 white sold at 23%c, No. 3 white from 19c to No. 2 white sold at 23%c, No. 3 white from 19c to No. 2 white sold at 23%c, with 18%c and No. 4 white from 5%c.

On Call July oats were offered at 18%c%c, with 18%c bid, and May oats were offered at 18%c%c, with 18%c bid and May oats were offered at 18%c%c.

There was no trading and the market closed norminally steady at 18%c bid for May and 18c bid for July oats.

RYE.

Receipts, 700 bu; shipments, 1,400 bu.

FLOUR-Receipts at St. Louis, 3,520 bbis; sh	п
ments, 1,990 bbls. Market dull, but steady.	1
Patents\$4 55@4	7
Extra fancy 4 25@4	3
Fancy 3 80@3	9
Choice 8 15@3	2
Cornmeal 1 40@1	4
BRAN-Market continues weak, but there	1
little doing. Bulk bran worth about 40c; skd br	a
East trk worth nominally 48@50c and 48c	fo
East side country points. This side selling at fro	on
63c at mill.	
PROVISIONS.	
PORK-Market very dull, but prices,	an

PORK—Market very dull, but prices unchanged. Standard mess pork, \$8.75 per bbl for new and \$8.25 for old. On orders, 50c per bbl higher.

LARD—Jobbing market easier at 4c for prime and 4.07%c for choice.

BACON—Jobbing sales—Boxed lots: Shoulders, 5.05c; extra short clear, 5.37%c; clear ribs, 5.50c; clear sides, 5.65c.

D. S. MEATS—Boxed lots: Shoulders, 5c; extra short clear, 5c; clear ribs, 5.15c; clear sides, 5.65c.

D. S. MEATS—Boxed lots: Shoulders, 5c; extra short clear, 5c; clear ribs, 5.15c; clear sides, 5.25%c. On orders by dealers, ¼c higher.

BREAKFAST BACON—On orders, 5@10c per pound. ound.

SUGAR-CURED HAMS—On orders, 10@11c.

BEEF—Mess, \$5.50@8 per bbl; dried, 9@11c;

LEAF LARD—Quotable at 4%c for pure in

BREAKPAST BACON—O orders, 10glic, per popular and the popular

inferior sprouted are selling as low as 60c per bu.

TURNIVS-150220c per doz bunches for new; \$1
per bbl for old.

RUTABAGAS—Quiet. Northern bulk, 25c per bu
delivered, On orders, \$1 per bbl.

CABBAGAS—Quiet exists shipments, — cars.
Scarce, but the feeling easier. Old cabbage, \$1002
20 per ton, delivered; Holland seed, \$230225 per
ton. On orders: Holland seed, 14c per lb; Flor.
ida, \$1.7502 per crate; California, 14c per lb,
\$2.4 per crate; California, 14c per lb,
\$2.4 per Carbon, 6003 per bu box.

EGG PLANT—4405 per crate.

ASPARAGUS—Pint bunches, 75c per dos; hand
bunchts, \$1.75; Southern, \$1 per dos bunches.

CELERY—Unchanged, but a fair demand and
large supplies. Choice to fancy large, 60080c per
bunch; fancy trimmed worth more; Michigan, 1002
40c: Southern, 100220c.

GREEN PEPPERS—44 per 6-basket crate.

CUCUMBERS—Large green, 50090c per doz;
small and yellow neglected.

CELERY ROOTS—Northern quiet; 250230c per
dot.

BEETS—Choice on orders, \$1.2501.50 per bbl;

CELERY ROUTS—Northern quart; 20,200 per dot.

BEETS—Choice on orders, \$1.25@1.50 per bbl; new, 10@25c per doz bunches; some poor stock sold as low as \$1 per bbl.
CARROTS—New Southern, on orders, 10@20c per doz bunches; \$1.25 per bbj.
PARNIPS—Home-grown choice washed, on orders, \$1.25 per bbl; unwashed, \$1.
HORSERADISH—Home-grown on orders, \$3@
8.50 per bbl.
SAUERKRAUT—Choice new city hand-made from first hands at \$1.00 per ½-bbl and \$2.75 per bbl. On orders higher. Receipts, 9 pkgs; shipments, ppkgs. TOMATOES-\$5@6 for sound large Floridas;

Paris—Wheat steady to 20 cms lower; flour 20 to 45 cms lower.

Antwerp—Wheat unchanged.

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Clearances of wheat and flour to-day were equal to only 67,000 bu.

Receipts at primary points were 450,000 bu, as compared with 216,000 bu a year ago.

After Cail July wheat became stronger and was fairly active for a while. It sold up to 72% but a year ago.

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May wheat opened at 87½c bid and was offered at 89c. Later 88c was bid.

Sept. wheat had 69½c bid, was offered at that and later 70c was asked.

Aug wheat sold up to 70%c. after selling down to 69½c, and laver it sold at 70½c.

The close was strong and excited at 73c asket for July, 70½c bid for August, 88½c bid for May and 70½c nominal for September wheat.

CORN.

There was very little life to the trading in this option at the opening and the market was weak and lower. Local receipts were light, but the speculative demand was also light and cables were lower.

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BUTTER AND CHEESE.

BUTTER-Market dull.

CREAMERY.
Extra Eigin. 18 @184 Extras 18 @15
Firsts 16 @17 Firsts 10 @11
Seconds ... 14 @15 Seconds ... 8 @1
ROLL BUTTER-Cholee, @27c; fair, 4@5c.
GREASE BUTTER-Arerage receipts, 38 @1
Il4c: singles, 11½c; Y. A., 12¼c; Southern Wisconsin and Illinois-Twins, 9c; singles, 9½c; skims. &27½c; Cheese, 2007c; for poor to 6c for choire; Swiss, 11@12c.

choire; Swiss, 11@12c.
EGGS.
Recelpts, 8.278 cases; shipments, 11.951 cases.
Recelpts heavy and demand good; market steady at Se and naies at that for near-by recelpts.
Goose eggs, 30c; duck eggs, 10c per doz.

18%c and had 18c bid, but the other graces were entirely neglected.

The sample market was quiet and unchanged.
No. 2 white sold at 22½c. No. 3 white from 19c to 21c and No. 4 white from 16½c to 18c.
No. 2 mixed oats were worth 18½c.
On Call July oats were offered at 18½c/%c, with 18c bid, and May oats were offered at 18½c/%c.
With 18½c bid.
There was no trading and the market closed nominally steady at 18½c bid for May and 18c bid for July oats.
Receipts, 700 bu; shipments, 1,400 bu.
On Call No. 2 rye was offered at 33c regular, with no bids, and No. 3 rye had 28c bid regular, with no bids, and No. 3 rye had 28c bid regular, with none offered.

HAT.

Receipts, 800 tons; shipments, 134 tons. The market was steady.
Quotations: Timothy—Choice, \$136(13.50; No. 1, \$6.00(27; No. 2, \$6.00(27; No. 2, \$8.50(210.50; No. 3, \$8

Market steady.

Miss art Illinois, etc.—
Combing
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Combine
Combi Texas, Arbansas, Indian Teri Medium, 6 to 8 months... Fine medium... Fine, 8 to 12 months... Fine, 6 months... Sandy and heavy... daho, Wyoming, Utah, etc...

WAREHOUSE STATEMENT TO-DAX.

1896-97. 1895-92

Net receipts to-day. 50

Net receipts since Sept. 1. 103.603 108.704

Net shipments to-day. 1.387

Net shipments to-day. 1.387

Net shipments since Sept. 1. 503.135 509.41

Gross receipts since Sept. 1. 490.355 509.45

Gross receipts to-day. 1.491

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Gross shipments to-day. 1.49.364

Gross shipments to-day. 1.49.722

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Gross shipments to-day. 1.59.722

Gross shipments to-day. 1.722

Gross shipments to-day. 1.492

NEW YORK-Spot steady; middling. 7.7-16c; ru-tures closed steady. Sales. 92,800 bales.

Closing Highest Lowest Closing. Tuesday. To-day. Wedady. 1.022

April 1.702

Tuesday. Tu-day. To-day. Wedady. Nay. 1.702

April 1.702

To-day. To-day. To-day. 1.706

May 1.707

Tuesday. Tu-day. To-day. 1.706

June 1.717

June 7.716

June 7.717

October 6.76 6.80 6.87 LIVERPOOL-Business good; prices firm. Uplands, 4 3-32d Sales, 2 2000 bales. Futures closed quiet; November and December, 3 47-54d; December and January, 48-65d; January and February, 48-65d; April, 2 -64d; June and July, 4 1-64d; June and July, 4 1-64d; July and August, 4 1-64d; August and September, 3 61-64d; September and October, 3 56-64d; September and October, 5 56-64d;

COFFEE. Reported by the Hanley & Kinsella Coffee and Spice Co.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH. CHICAGO, April 14.—Liverpool again furnished a surprise to wheat traders at the opening this morning, early public cables showing a ¼d advance, while private cables reported the advance at 1/401d. This started the market firm at yesterday's closing prices. The unexpected firmness at Liverpool was regarded with suspicion, however, it raders claiming that the market was manipulated, and after the opening no attention was paid to it. The fine weather West was a bear influence and heavy selling started, led by St. Louis and the Southwest. Liquidation became general and the market soon became very weak. May opened at 65%6057%c, declined to 60%606%c, and sold at 65%6057%c, declined to 60%606%c, and sold at 65%6057%c, declined to 60%606%c, and sold at 65%6057%c, declined to 80%605%c, and sold at 65%6057%c, the limpsyowement in the weather was partly responsible for the decline. May corn opened unchanged at 23%603%c and declined to 23%605%c. Local receipts were St cars. May oats opened a shade lower at 10%6016%c and declined to 16%c. Local receipts were 114 cars. Provisions were weak on a heavy run of hogs and lower yard prices. May pork opened 12%c lower at \$8.25 declined to 16%c. CHICAGO, April 14.—Cash wheat—No. 2 red. Science. No. 8 spring, 636906c; No. 2 spring, 67%66c. ChicAGO, April 14.—Cash wheat—No. 2 red. Science. Oash oats—No. 2, 16%616%c; No. 3, 15% 6618c. ChicAGO, April 14.—Close: Wheat—April, 68%c; ChicAGO, April 14.—Close: Wheat—A

### LIVE STOCK.

National Stock Yards. NATIVE CATTLE-Receipts, 1,287. Market SALES.

SHEEP-Receipts, 7,464; mostly packers. Market steady to strong. HOGS—Receipts, 7.182. Market 5c lower.

SALES.

No. Av. Price. No. Av. Price.
132. 114. \$2 60 77. 147. \$3 30
4 .117. \$50 90. 103. \$8 94
4 .117. \$50 90. 103. \$8 94
43. 172. \$3 70 41. 2.80 .3 80
29. 252. \$80 104. 178. \$3 85
81. 195. \$3 90 63. 198. \$3 90
43. 228. \$95 44. 200. \$95
76. 198. \$95 73. 218. \$971/2
120. 295. 4 00 88. 261. 4 05
HORSES AND MULES—Receipts, 275. Market about steady at last week's price. Heavy draft, \$35 to \$847.50; plugs, \$2.50 to \$47.50; plugs, \$2.50 to \$47.50.

Mule market shows a little improvement over last week.

CHICAGO, April 14.—Estimated receipts hogs today, 25:000; left over, 1.000; market active at 5
day, 25:000; left over, 1.000; market active at 5
day, 25:000; left over, 1.000; market active at 5
day (25:000; left steady; others weaker,
10: heave \$3.70\( \frac{1}{2} \), 10; rough, \$3.70\( \frac{1}{2} \), 3.90\( \frac{1}{2} \)
4.10; heave \$3.70\( \frac{1}{2} \), 10; rough, \$3.70\( \frac{1}{2} \), 3.70\( \frac{1}{2} \), 10;
the—Receipts, 13.50\( \frac{1}{2} \), 50; best steady; others weaker.
Reeves, \$3.80\( \frac{1}{2} \), 40; cows and helfers, \$2\( \frac{1}{2} \), 43.
Texas steers, \$3.20\( \frac{1}{2} \), 40; tockers and feeders,
\$3.40\( \frac{1}{2} \), 40; tockers and feeders,
\$3.40\( \frac{1}{2} \), 40; tockers and feeders,
\$3.40\( \frac{1}{2} \), 40; tockers and feeders,
\$4.80; cattle—2.003; shipments, 913. Sheep—
11,552; shipments, 1.905. Estimated receipts hogs
to-morrow, 25.000.
KANSAS CITY, Mo., April 14.—Cattle—Receipts,
\$3.00\( \frac{1}{2} \), 30; Texas cows, \$2.20\( \frac{1}{2} \), 50; 10; 10;
\$3.25\( \frac{1}{2} \), 10; Texas cows, \$2.20\( \frac{1}{2} \), 10; 10;
\$3.50; Hogs—Receipts, 13.000. Market, \$1.50\( \frac{1}{2} \), 10;
\$3.50; Hogs—Receipts, 13.000. Market, \$3.70\( \frac{1}{2} \), 10;
\$3.60\( \f

August 7.25 7.20

August 7.30b 7.30b 7.30

Mail Pouch coffee at 12.35.

BIO—No. 7 coffee, Exchange standard, no mil, 900; exchange, 7 15-16; receipts, 4,000; clearances for United States, 9,000; Europe, 8,000; stock, 274,000; market firm.

SANTOS—Receipts, 16,000; stock, 476,000; market steady; good average Santos, 8 mil, 850; cleared from Santos April 13 steamer Catania, 36,000 and Parthia 435,000; cleared from Santos April, 13 steamer California for New Orleans, 2,000; cleared from Bahia April 10 steamer Coleridge 1,000.

Receipts heavy and demand good: market steady at the second selection of the selection of

No. Description. 14 @144 30 steers SHEEP—Receip packers Market 8 @10 8 @ 9 8 6 10 No. Description.

## LIVE STOCK BY TELEGRAPH.

New York-50c premium bid; 75c premium asked. Cincinnati-Par bid; 25c premium asked. Chicago-Par bid; 12½c premium asked. Louisville-Par bid; 12½c premium asked. New Orleans-25c discount bid; 50c discount asked.
Discount rates at St. Louis banks steady at T

NEW YORK, April 14.—Silver certificates, 626 62%. Bar silver, 62. Mexican dollars, 48%. St. Louis Stocks and Bonds.

Bid. Asked. Nat. Bank of the Republic. \$110 00 Lindell Ry. stocks 122 00 Brosdway Cable bonds 100 50 101 00 Edison Illum. bonds 55 00 00 Missouri Electric 2ds. 104 00 Sales: Exposition stock, 25 at \$5.75; Little Alert Mining stock, 100 at 20c.

New York Stocks, Reported by Whitaker & Hodgman, stock and ond brokers, 800 North Fourth street.

ST. LOUIS, April 14.

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Wall Street.

NEW YORK, April 14.—The failure of the London market to respond to the sharp improvement here yesterday exerted a depressing influence, which was intensified by the heavy realising in Sugar, that stock losing 1½. The transactions in Sugar were to enormous volume, one block of 2,500 shares being sold at 113 and several 1,000-share lots went at the same price.

Round amounts of Sugar and Chicago Gas were offered, depressing these shares 2½ to 112½ and 2½ to 82 respectively. The absence of the active support that has been centered in these properties encouraged the bears to extend their lines with considerable freedom. Sugar was partly affected by a further reduction of ½ per cent in certain grades of the refined product. The weakness in these shares extended to the general market, but the losses did not exceed fractions in the active group, with Reading. New Jersey Central, St. Paul, Tennessee Coal and Burlington leading. Minnesota from exceptionally fell 8 per cent on light offerings. The Vanderbilt shares moved narrowly and displayed considerable resistance to the selling movement.

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10 NDON. April 14.—Consols for money, 112; do account 1124.

### London Stock Market.

LONDON, April 14.—In the stock market to-day Kaffirs or South African mining and other securities continued very flat and nervous, and were generally lower. There were a number of alarming rumors circulating, one of them being that one of the biggest companies was in difficulty and another referred to forced sales for a large Johannesburg speculator. Still another rumor was that the Consolidated Gold Fields were issuing fresh capital.

### Teasdale-Martin.

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Av. Price. 484 Maple avenue, Rev. John Mathews of Centenary Methodist Church officiating. The wedding will be very quiet owing to the recent death of the bride's mother, Mr. Edward John G. Market barely to noon hour.

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### Honors for St. Louisans.

Harbor Commissioner C. H. Stone re-ceived a letter from his youngest daugh-ter, Miss Jasmine, a student at the Dela-cluse Art School in Paris, which stated that she had received a bronze medal for general efficiency and progress in her studies. The Captain's son, Louis, and wife, who recently returned from Paris, were notified that both of them had had pictures accepted for this year's salon.

### Russia Wants Armor Plate.

WASHINGTON, April 14.—In view of the very satisfactory test of American armor plate heretofore sent to Russia, the Russian Government has asked the Carnegie and Bethlehem companies to submit proposals for furnishing armor plate for two large battleships.

Saw Stars Instead of Airship.

Thomas B. Fluke climbed on the roof at 1515 Chestnut street early Wednesday morning to see the airship. He lost his balance and fell to the ground. He had a rib fractured and one of his ankies sprained. He was put in plaster of parls and sent home. RIVER BULLETIN.



### CLERKS DON'T KNOW.

May Have Been a Sensational Incident at the Planters'.

Attaches of the Planters' Hotel refuse to confirm or deny the story that there was a sensational scene in the hotel Tuesday afternoon between a young wife, an irais afternoon between a young wife, an irafa husband and another man.

It was said that the husband followed his wife to the hotel and insisted on accompanying her to a room engaged a short time before by a man who signed the register "Clark Ross and Wife, St. Charles, Mo." The husband, according to the story, waited until "Ross" and explained to him the evil of his ways and explained to him the evil of his ways and then left his tearful wife and rode away on his bloycle.

Clerk Moore, when asked about the story, said: "I heard nothing about it. It may have occurred, but I was not on watch yearerday afternoon."

The other clerks and employes about the hotel said they knew nothing about it, except that the entry "Clark Ross and wife, St. Charles, Mo.," was on the register.

## SAYS HE'S A MURDERER.

Man Gives Himself Up, but the Police Don't Believe Him.

A man giving the name of John Ryan staggered into the Four Courts Wednesday morning at 5 o'clock and drifted into Night morning at 5 o'clock and drifted into N ght Chief Kiely's office. He told the Chief that he wanted to surrender himself for a murder he had committed in Hope, Ark., several months ago. Ryan said he and his victim were working on a railroad section at the time, and that during a quarrel between them he brained the man with a bick. He made his escape, but the twinges of conscience gave him no rest and he decided to surrender and suffer the consequences of his crime.

Ryan's story was incoherent and lacked detail. The Chief does not place much reliance in it. He ordered Ryan locked up until sober, and wired the authorities at Hope.

### FARMER'S HEINOUS CRIME.

For Which He Has Been Held for the

Ambrose of Plainview, Ill., brought to this city yesterday George W. Sneider, a farmer

### ACCUSES HER FIANCE.

Mrs. Nellie Barrett, a young widow of 921 North Nineteenth street, Wednesday morn-ing told Chief Desmond a diamond ring, ing told Chief Desmond a diamond ring, valued at \$130, had been stolen from her. She says William G. McDonald, a railroad conductor, to whom she is engaged took the ring a few nights ago.

Mrs. Barrett applied for a warrant, but the assistant public prosecutor will not issue one until the police investigate.

### INTERSTATE CONFERENCE.

Officials of Texas and Kansas Talk on

Freight Rates. AUSTIN, Texas, April 14.—Gov. Leedy and ex-Gov. Lewellyn of Kansas arrived in the city this morning and called on the Legislature and Gov. Culberson. They are here to consult with the Legislature and Governor and the Texas Railroad Commission looking to a betterment of interstate freight

### GREATER NEW YORK.

Gov. Black Will Hear Arguments on Monday. ALBANY, N. Y., April 14.-Gov. Black to-

## day announced that he will give a hearing on Monday on the Greater New York charter bill, which is now pending before him. It is understood that a large and powerful delegation will appear in opposition to the measure.

BROOKLYN REPAIRED. The Big Ship Had Been Injured in an

Ice Gorge. PHILADELPHIA, Pa., April 14.-The PHILADELPHIA, Pa., April 14.—The United States cruiser Brooklyn, which was injured in the ice gorge on the Delaware in January, was successfully floated out of the dry dock at League Island Navy Yard to-day. She now lies at anchor in the Delaware River, where the finishing touches will be administered before the big ship is declared seaworthy.

TWO CONVICTS ESCAPE. Climbed Through the Flue and Let

Themselves Down From the Roof. special to the Post-Dispatch.
FRANKFORT, Ky., April 14.—William
Byans and Charles Lillard, burgiar convicts, tied the latches in their cells, climbed
through the flue to the top of the house,
let themselves down from the tenth story
by means of a rope and escaped at midnight.

Got the Bottles Mixed. William Moody, a painter of Mexico, Mo., started to St. Louis Wednesday with two botties in his pockets. One contained cough med cine and one liniment for rheumatism. He got hem mixed on the train and took the liniment for his cough.

It burned his epiglottis and gave him a bad taste in the mouth. As soon as he bad taste in the mouth burned to the Dispensary and was pumped out.

Urges the Use of Berea Stone. W. W. Thornberg, General Western Agent of the Cleveland Stone Co., Cleveland, O., called on Street Commissioner A. N. Miner Wednesday. He wants the city to use the Berea sandstone of his company for curbing. Mr. Miner told him he had nothing to say about what stone was used. He may call on Onkel Henry and try is induce him to recant his home rule declarations.

Contracts for Paving Blocks. Supply Commissioner Richardson let the contract Wednesday for furnishing 30.00 feet of white pine blocks for street repairing at \$15.35 per thousand feet and \$80 squares screened gravel for repairing the walks in Forest Park at \$1.50 per square. This is much less than such supplies have cost in the past.

## BURIAL PERMITS.

The following deaths have been re-ported in the city during the twenty-four hours ending at noon: MARGARET HROGAN, 80, 1915 North GEO. KAUFMANN, El, Alexian Brothers'

Hospital; pneumonia.
BERNARD AMBRUSTER, 61, 1415 Warren; heart disease. EMMA ROSS, M. 2011 North Broadway; ADAM ENDRES, St. Alexian Brothers' Hospital; heart disease. FRANK BLUCK, M., Missouri Pacific

Hospital; remittent fever. BERTHA TRELZE, 23, 1449 Old Manchester; pulmonary tuberculosis.

MICHAEL L. REUTER, 15 months. 1730
Leffingwell; cerebral meningitis.

## PRICE OF COTTON MAY NOT ADVANCE.

NEW YORK EXCHANGE HAS PE-CULIAR CONTROL OF MARKET.

FIGURES ARE STILL LOW.

Planters Fear They Will Be Manipulated Out of Profits Due to the Scarce Crop.

St. Louis cotton factors are deeply inter-ested in the flood situation in the South. Speculation continues as to what effect the ort crop will have on the market. The natural inference is that prices would materially increase, but some of the cotton men say that as long as the New York Cotton Exchange controls the cotton mar-ket as it does, there is no telling what may

The New York Exchange is wrongfully keeping prices down, so the St. Louis fac-

## EASTER WEEK\_\_



THIS IS THE WEEK when every man and boy will be wanting new Spring Clothes. We have made the most extensive preparations to meet the wants and suit the taste of buyers.

IN SUITS, TOP COATS AND TROUSERS for MEN and LARGE BOYS we have an immense and attractive assortment. No merchant tailors can give you such beautiful patterns and such perfect tailoring as you will find in our stock.

IN SUITS, REEFERS, TOP COATS AND WASHABLE SUITS for the small boys we display a marvelously beautiful assortment. They are our

own exclusive style, and will not be found elsewhere.

## Furnishing Department.



## BROWNING, KING & CO.,

Broadway and Pine, St. Louis.

Henry Warden Entertained Dispensary
Doctors With His Delirium.

"I've got 'im. Ha! Ha! I've got 'im."
A wild exultant shout rang out in the dispensary waiting-room. It sounded like Uncle Filley out on a glorification tear, but the doctors found it was only a cheap imitation.

A man was sprawled out on the floor with his legs tied in double bow knots around the chairs. He was holding a little scrap of paper on the floor with his left hand and pounding it viciously with his right. At every blow he let out a demoniacal yell.

"What have you got?" asked Dr. Kearney.

"The red aligator with yellow eyes and a green tail that's been followin' me around all day."

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"The red aligator with yellow eyes and a green tail that's been followin' me around all day."

"He gave the piece of paper a few more punches in the most vital spot and got up.

"Beoze fighter—Willies." said the doctor sententiously by way of diagnosis. "Send him to the C. H."

Before the wagon came around reptilia and four-footed things gathered in large numbers to avenge the death of the red aligator.

The man was full of fight. He engaged valiantly with every varmint that came within reach. In his struggles he upset all the chairs. But still they came.

His worst struggle was with a feather. A puff of wind scurried it across the floor and under the chairs. He thought it was a black cat with incandescent eyes and claws fourteen inches long. He threw himself at double Nelson on the phantom feline. His crief of pain showed that he thought the latinch claws were getting in their work. Hy a supreme effort he got on the floor, and gave it a parting blow with his fist. The displaced air caused it to move. The cat had several lives left. The harder he hit it the more it jumped. It was still in the ring and hopping around spriyly when the ambulance driver called time, and the holes. He pointed out several alire show while the alley.

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Solution at Los Angeles.

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minated and thrown open for inspection by a number of Col. Hopkins' friends. As in the past Uhrig's Cave will be the home of summer opera. Manager Frank McNeary has had extensive repairs made at the Cave and the pavilion will scarcely be recognized in its new dress. Every effort will be made to make the Cave an even more popular resort than it has been. Manager McNeary has engaged the Castle Square Opera Company, now playing at the castle Square expensed that the Square of Castle Square Opera Company, now playing at the castle square opera June 7.

A new venture will be launched at Grand and Meramec avenues. John Scullin and others have erected a pavilion on spacious grounds at that point and will put on a vaudeville show about May 16. In addition to this attraction there will be a shoot the chutes on the grounds.

At Koerner's Garden there will be a season of comic opera under the direction of John Lang. A new pavillon has been erected with a seating capacity of 2,200 and a company is now being formed. The season will open May 23.

Schnaider's Garden will probably be reopened under the old name, though definite arrangements have not been made. The present intention is to put on a straight vaudeville show.

Suburban Park will be operated under the same management as last year, with minstrel and vaudeville performances and a

chants reduced.

At present these commission merchants pay licenses ranging from \$50 to \$500 according to the amount of business done, probably averaging \$250 per annum.

TO ABOLISH FLOUR GRADES.

Merchants' Exchange Committee Will Hold a Hearing Thursday.

The Flour Inspection Committee of the Merchants' Exchange, to which the petition to abolish the official grades on flour was referred by the Board of Directors, will hold a meeting Thursday afternoon in the Directors' room of the Exchange for the purpose of hearing arguments for and aral feed a significant circumstance is that the field and the proposed change.

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## QUINLAN ROUTED MASKED ROBBERS.

PAGE AVENUE GROCER DECLINES TO BE HELD UP.

GOT A BULLET IN HIS ARM.

But the Three Robbers in a Wagor Stirred Up an Old Man With Grit.

Grocer Andrew J. Quinlan of 3800 Page avenue, was counting his cash at 9:30 o'clock Tuesday night, when three men entered his store. Two had handkerchiefs drawn across their faces, covering their features to their eyes.

Without looking up the grocer placed the money in his pocket-book, thinking the men were customers. He still had the purse in his hand when one of the masked men pre sented a revolver at his head and tried to he money. lan thrust his purse into his pocket

quintan thrust his purse into his pocket and reached across the counter in an effort to wrench the revolver from the man's hand. He retained his presence of mind, and did not lose his temper, as he stated Wed-nesday morning, until the man who wore no mask started behind the counter toward him "Then I got mad on account of his im-pudence in coming behind the counter," said Quinlan to a Post-Dispatch reporter. "I don't allow anyone to come behind the counter."

"I don't allow anyone to come behind the counter."

So Quinlan started for the impudent fellow and clutched his throat with his left hand, while he struck him repeatedly with his right, at the same time shoving him toward the door. The grocer is 65 years old, but remarkably muscular, so he had little trouble with his antagonist until the masked men came to their comrade's assistance. They ran to the end of the counter and the one who had tried to grab the pocketbook fired at Quinlan, whose arm was elevated for another blow upon the unmasked robber's face. The grocer's son, Dan Quinlan, was in another room connecting with the grocery candling eggs. Hearing the pistol shother ran into the store and the robbers fied. Quinlan and his son started in pursuit and were joined by several neighbors and two policemen.

Quinlan saw the men leap into a covered spring wagon at Prairie and Cook avenues, a block away. Then he discovered that he was wounded.

The bullet had passed through the fleshy part of the right forearm inflicting a slight part of the right forearm inflicting a slight part of the right forearm inflicting a slight.

The builet had passed through the fleshy part of the right forearm, inflicting a slight wound. The uplifted arm had saved him a possibly fatal wound in the head. Those who continued in pursuit saw the men drive east on Cook avenue, but were soon distanced. Policeman Rodermann, standing at Grand and Cook avenues, saw the wagon pass, but his suspicion was not aroused. As described by Quinlan, one of the masked men was five feet ten inches in height and of slight build. The other masked man was about five feet eight inches, and the one not masked shorter and inches, and the one not masked shorter and heavy set.

"Not one of them said a word during the whole proceedings," said Quinlan; "so, I think those with masks must have been men I was acquainted with. I didn't know the third man. They didn't get a penny from me."

### ONKEL HENRY'S NEW SCHEME. Tries Smoke Prevention on the Board of Public Improvements.

At the next meeting of the Board of Public Improvements Mayor Ziegenhein will be elected an honorary member of the Commit-tee on Smoke Prevention. Onkel Henry has a prescription which, he thinks, is bound to

He tried it on the board members when they called on him Tuesday and it worked like a charm. He played hob with official ctiquette, but etiquette is not Onkel Henry's strong lead opened under the old name, though definite arrangements have not been made. The present intention is to put on a straight vaudeville show.

Suburban Park will be operated under the same management as last year, with ministrel and vaudeville performances and a weekly change of bill, opening May 23.

Chris Von der Ahe's "shoot the chutes" and the one at Grand avenue and Hebert streets will attract excitement lovers in the North End.

WANT A LICENSE REDUCTION.

Grain Dealers and Commission Men Will Seek Relief.

The Legislative Committee of the Merchants' Exchange will meet next Monday afternoon to draw up a bill to have the license feor grain dealers and commission merchants pay licenses ranging from \$50 to \$500 according to the amount of business done, probably averaging \$550 per annum.



We are pleased to announce to our friends and the public that the fielshing touches to our two stores in one are now completed, and cordially invite your inspection of the Most Unique, Complete, Modern and the Largest Shoe House in

See our leading specialties in GREEN. OX - BLOOD, CHOCOLATE, TAN and BLACK SHOES, OXFORDS and SLIP-

## T.J. REID SHOE CO

411-415 North Broadway.

SEE THAT THE NAME IS STAMPED ON BACH CIGAR.
Purchased and Imported a large quantity of Havana Tobacco before
Weyler's order forbidding the export of tobacco from Cuba,
THE QUALITY OF THE

MERCANTILE

WILL BE KEPT UP TO THE STANDARD.

# LOOK OUT FOR THE

SEE WILLIAMSON FOR ADVERTISING SPACE ON IT.

### ANNIE TOURVILLE IS FLEET OF FOOT.

SHE ELUDED HER MOTHER, A PO-LICEMAN AND A REPORTER.

LOST AFTER A HOT CHASE.

She Has Left Home, Fearing She Will Be Put in the Good Shep-

herd Convent. Thirteen-year-old Annie Tourville, the hild drunkard, led her mother, Patrolman McGuire and a reporter, a lively chase over the Fourth Police District Tuesday night.

Mrs. Allle Smith reported her daughter missing from home, 922 Chestnut street, eary in the evening, and told Sergt. Woodlock she thought Annie was in the Fourth Disshe thought Annie was in the Fourth District.

Mrs. Smith appeared affronted when the officer asked if Annie was on another spree.

"If I can catch her, Sergeant," she said,
"I will send her to the House of Good Shepherd. Arrangements have been made to receive her. But I can't get hold of her and I want you to send three or four officers out to bring her in. She has not been home for several nights. I know she is in this district, because she never goes anywhere else."

There was not enough darkness about for the policeman to approach boldly, and all walted patiently till the girl should go into the shadows beyond Thirteenth street.

"She will fight or run," was Mrs. Smith's warning. "We had better separate and come in on her from different directions."

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come in on her from different directions." Mr. McGuire thought this was a good scheme.

But Annie changed her tactics. She quickened her pace, and on reaching Thirteenth street started into a half run toward Biddle street.

"Spread out!" yelled McGuire, as he dashed after her. Mrs. Smith sped through an alley to Biddle street, then to Thirteenth. The reporter followed. He emerged from the alley in time to see the woman and the policeman collide on the corner.

"Where did she go," both gasped as soon as they could speak. Thirteenth street and Biddle street were deserted.

"Well she has slipped us," growled the officer and started back to the station. At Tenth street Mrs. Smith gave a little scream. "I believe that's her," and away she went. McGuire and the reporter brought up the rear.

"Annie! Annie," shrieked the mother. The figure in front turned away, then was off like a rocket. She was headed for "soupbone row."

It was a case of beating her to it, or losing the chase. Everybody took an extra spurt. Mrs. Smith clutched her skirts more firmly; the copper adjusted his belt and settled himself for a good run.

A passer-by once grasped his arm. "What's up?" he shouted. He arose from the gutter without knowing.

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A passer-by once grasped his arm. What sup?" he shouted. He arose from the gutter without knowing.

Annie was making the best time. She has friends in, the row, and knew if she could reach them it would be all over with the other people. "Pig-foot alley" was close by. Into it she darted, the copper lumbering after her. A back gate stood open. Pursued and pursuer went through it up the yard, and into the rear of the house without knocking. It was empty and the front door was unlocked. Soon everybody was on the street again, tired, winded, but determined. But the 13-year-old was the smartest. She doubled through an alley and got away.

The pursuers reached the station by different routes.

"Well" said Mrs. Smith, "I am going home. If you catch her just let me know. I am at 322 Chestnut, I'm obliged for your trouble. Good night."

Sixty-six new members were enrolled in the Office Men's Club last year. The re-port of the Secretary at the annual meet-ning held Tuesday night shows the member-ship to be now 500. The new officers, are: D. A. Bixley, President: Charles W. Bright, Vice-President: R. J. Schooler, Secretary; Fred L. Garceche, Treasurer. Meestra J. T. Downman, L. F. Hayward, R. M. Hallo-well, A. R. Webber and John B. Young are the new Executive Committeemen.

An address by V. O. Saunders on "Life in the Siums" will be given at the West Presbyterian Church, Maple avenue, near Goodfellow, Thursday evening. Mr. Saunders is a leading business man, connected with the work at the Spruce Street Mission, 507 Spruce street

### MOODY ECHO MEETING.

Movement to Reap the Fruits of the Late Revival.

A strong effort will be made to keep alive the effect of the Moody revival.

The organization that managed the Moody The organization that managed the Moody meetings is projecting a series of Sunday night revival meetings in Grand Music Hail. The big Moody chorus will assist.

If the opening meeting next Sunday night is a success, the inclement will be kept up so long as the weather permits.

Another fact at the Moody revivals was that the non-church goers predominated. They came early and pre-empted the hail before the church people arrived. The attempt will be made to keep interest alive among this class.

The meetings will be entirely undenominational. In fact they will be the Moody meetings over again with another in Mr. Moody's place. The song service will commence at 7:30 c'clock under the direction of R. O. Bolt. Sacred songs No. 1 will be the book used.

In order to get the non-church going class to attend the meetings circulars of invitation will be distributed during the week in the factories, stores and shops. On Sunday committees will visit the hotels and call the attention of the city's visitors to the evening service. Dr. S. J. Niccolls will conduct the opening service.

WILL NOT APPROPRIATE.

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School Board Definitely Decides to

Ignore the New Law. The School Board decided definitely Tuesday night to make no appropriation for the special school election under the Civit else."
Mrs. Smith was told if she located her daughter an officer would be sent to make the arrest.
In an hour she returned flushed with ex-

In an hour she returned flushed with excitement.

"An efficer, quick!" she cried. "I have her now. She is talking to a fellow at the corner of Fourteenth and Carr streets. Where's your policeman?"
Patrolman McGuire was supplied. In her excitement Mrs. Smith grabbed his hand. "Come on.' You help us," she said to the reporter. The trio were soon in the neighborhood of Fourteenth and Carr streets. The corner was deserted.

"She must have seen your star," said Mrs. Smith to the policeman. "Suppose you keep on the shady side of the street. Sh! don't to exchange a piece of ground for that the content of the street. Sh! don't the shady side of t

Work-House Managers Take Back the Brutal Guard.

The Board of Managers of the Ho Refuge has re-employed Frank Jones, who was recently dismissed from the institu-Dean. The directors say Jones will have nothing to do with the children. He is employed as storekeeper. He was Acting Superintendent when the assault on Dean

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and Fear. Henry Erb, who shot and killed John

ical pull to get out of the meshes of the law for being too free with his revolver. This pull has been strong enough to get

The shooting took place in Jack Furber's saloon on Olive streets between Beyenth and Elighth streets. Furber's was a great resort then for gamblers and politicians, and a good many rough and tumble fights took place in front of the big picture representing the Custer massacre.

Erb and Towey had differences before, and on this occasion made no effort to disguise their feelings toward each other.

The combined effects of the liquor and the old grudge worked both men up to the proper state of excitement for what was to follow. High words were exchanged and Erb assumed a belligerent attitude, which led Towey to make an offensive move. Then Erb went for his gun and began to shoot at short range. Towey was struck in the side and for awhile it looked as if he would die. He recovered, however, and the case was fixed up, Erb claiming self-defense.

His next shooting affray was in 1839 at Bamberger's saloon, then on-the corner of Eighth and Olive streets. His opponent this time was Emil Thomas, who was City Marshal up to the last election. Both men had been in the saloon during the afternoon and had, during the progress of their potations, grown aerimonious over politics. The circumstances of the fight were much like those in which Schwering lost his life. Political differences were brought up and loud talking done. The debate grew so warm that Thomas considered it necessary

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